THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity—Cloudy and colder with a moderate cold wave tonight and tomorrow morning; Thursday, fair and continued cold; moderate variable winds, becoming northwest.
Sun rises 6:58, sets 5:20.
High tide 10:58 p. m.
Temperature (till 11 a. m.): Maximum, 42 at 11 a. m.; minimum, 32 at 3 a. m.; average, 37; temperature at 11 a. m., 42.
Light all vehicles at 6:58 p. m.

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HEIRESS KIDNAPED; NURSE HELD

$100,000 LOSS IN SOUTH ST. BLAZE

3 DIE IN HOTEL FIRE

ALL BIDS FOR SHIPS WILL BE REJECTED

Board Announces That New Negotiations for Fleet's Sale Will Be Opened

Washington, Feb. 18.—The Shipping Board proposes to proceed with the sale of the former German passenger ships.

Chairman Payne of the Shipping Board made this statement to the Senate Commerce Committee today.

He declared that all bids and proposals for the ships thus far received would be rejected and new negotiations would be undertaken if suitable offers were received.

Chairman Payne presented a resolution to the committee, drawn by the Shipping Board, recommending the rejection of the bids and the entering of new negotiations. He said the board expected to put this recommendation into effect.

Payne declared it was costing the government $12,000 a day to hold the vessels. He denied charges that the International Mercantile Marine, the leading bidder, is a British concern.

Arguments advanced by Payne to justify the proposed sale of the former German ships were riddled by Raymond B. Stevens, vice-chairman of the commission.

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DENY BRITISH PEACE DICKER WITH SOVIETS

London, Feb. 18.—It was learned from official sources this afternoon that there is no truth in the report that Captain James O'Grady, M. P., has begun peace negotiations with representatives of the Russian Soviet government. It is understood that Great Britain has been officially notified that Germany has opened peace conferences held in Russia.

Captain O'Grady has been in Copenhagen conferring with a Bolshevik mission headed by Boris Litvinoff regarding the release of British prisoners held by Russia.

ROSE PASTOR STOKES SEEKS CONGRESS SEAT

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Guarded by the policewomen who brought her from New York to face charges of "advocating the overthrow of the government by force," Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes today announced her candidacy for Representative in Congress from a New York city district on the Communist party ticket.

5 FINED FOR SELLING NAPHTHA STOVE POLISH

Five dealers were fined in Dorchester Court today for selling stove polish containing gasoline and naphtha. Max Rubin, Dorchester avenue; Daniel Tonjian, Blue Hill avenue; Morris Rosnick, Geneva avenue, and Marion Marnick, Dorchester avenue, were fined $15 each. Morris Yankelitvit, Florida street, was fined $10.

BAY STATE INFLUENZA CASES SHOW DECREASE

Today's report from the State Department of Health shows a material decrease in influenza cases reported in the twenty-four-hour period ending at noon. Throughout the State there were 963 new cases. Of these 132 are in Boston. Lynn has 50, Lowell 81, Waltham 44, Worcester 52, Adams 34 and Westfield 31.

USES SONS TO ADVERTISE ARMY, GETS 5 RECRUITS

Private James J. Burke of Fort Warren has two sons, one in the artillery and one in the quartermaster's department. During a furlough his two sons accompanied him to Bristol, R. I. The result was he got five recruits.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.
Boston bank clearings, $69,007,140
Boston Sub-Treasury, credit, $240,762
New York bank clearings, $733,889,858
New York Sub-Treasury, credit, $56,760,677

S. G. CIGAR HAVANA FILLER
At Your Neighborhood Store

Goodwin Nominated for Auto Registrar

FRANK A. GOODWIN

Frank A. Goodwin of East Boston, former Street Commissioner of the city, was nominated for the newly-created office of State Registrar of Motor Vehicles today by John N. Cole, State Commissioner of Public Works.

The nomination goes to Governor Coolidge and his council, accompanied by strong recommendations. The position carries a salary of $4,500. Mr. Goodwin is a lawyer. He was a member of Boston City Council in 1903 and 1909 and street commissioner from 1914 to 1918.

As registrar of motor vehicles he will have absolute authority to regulate motor traffic in Massachusetts. This power, before the merging of various State boards, was vested in the State Department of Waterways and Public Works.

MOVE TO UNSEAT LYNN MAYOR

Jitney Men Circulating Petition for Recall; Will Include Four Councilmen

Papers petitioning the recall of Mayor Walter M. Creamer of Lynn were taken out by jitney bus men of that city today, following the action of the City Council in stating that their licenses would be revoked.

It was stated that within two days similar papers would be taken out for the recall of at least four members of the council, including President S. Walter McDonough.

McDonough announced last week that the jitney men would be put out of business by May 1. The council at its meeting last night advanced the time to March 1. There will be a public hearing tomorrow night, at which a large attendance is expected.

CARANZA HASN'T HEARD OF KIDNAPING OF ADAMS

Mexico City, Feb. 18.—It was stated today at President Carranza's office that no news had been received from any official source regarding the reported kidnaping of Wilson Welsh Adams, an American, by bandits in Zacatecas.

The State Department in Washington received word Adams was being held for $25,000 ransom. Adams' home is in Los Angeles.

BLIZZARD KILLS 3 IN NORTHWEST MICHIGAN

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 18.—Northwestern Michigan is in the grip of the worst blizzard of the Winter, raging for three days. Mrs. Alfred Benjamin and her new-born babe were found dead in a shack near Care and with the husband and four other children, all nearly ill with influenza. Dr. William Weaver died after having been found in a snow bank.

SNOW ON WALKS, REALTY DEALER IS FINED $20

Because he did not have the snow cleared away from in front of four houses which he owns, Miles Muldoon, a real estate operator of Broadway, Charlestown, was fined $20 in Charlestown Court today, $5 for each offense.

LEATHER STOCKS RUINED

Valuable Sheepskins Are Also Destroyed by Smoke and Water

Sheepskins and fancy glazed leather, valued at almost $100,000, were destroyed or damaged by smoke and water in a short but stubborn fire today in the five-story brick building at No. 67 South street.

The fire started from an undetermined cause at the rear elevator on the fourth floor.

It went through the flooring to the stock of sheepskins valued at between $30,000 and $35,000 stored on the floor occupied by the Rosenthal Brothers Leather Company, whose offices are on the street floor.

On the fifth floor the stock of glazed leather of the Continental Leather Company was damaged by smoke and water. This stock was valued at $60,000 and will have to be sent back to the mills to be refinished. The upper floors of the building were used as storerooms.

The firemen were obliged to fight the blaze with extension ladders from the rear through the Essex street court side.

CAILLAUX, IN PRISON, PREPARES HIS DEFENCE

Paris, Feb. 18.—Former Premier Joseph Caillaux, on trial on the charge of treason, spent today in prison putting the finishing touches on his speech of defence. The French Senate, sitting as a high court of justice to try M. Caillaux, was not in session today. It will not convene again until Friday. M. Caillaux's chief of counsel is M. Demange, who defended Captain Dreyfus, while Theodore Reinach, the prosecutor of the republic, will have as his first assistant Judge Morel, who convicted Mata Hari, the German woman spy.

ARREST SUSPECT IN STORE DELIVERY WAGON

Arrested in a delivery wagon containing insured parcels from a Tremont street department store, Walter Cramer of Worcester Street explained that he was "taking a ride," but he was held in $1,000 for a continued hearing next Tuesday, when he appeared today in the municipal court. The store in question has lost packages valued at $700 during the past few weeks.

EAST BOSTON MAN HELD IN HUNT FOR FIREBUG

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 18.—Thomas F. McDonough, who gives East Boston, Mass., as his home, is held here. He was found in a doorway last night by policemen who are on the watch for the firebug who has set fires in the business centre with losses aggregating half a million dollars.

BERLIN TO SEEK PEACE WITH SOVIET RUSSIA

Berlin, Feb. 18.—The German Cabinet has decided to open immediate peace negotiations with Soviet Russia, it was learned today. This decision was said to be based on apprehension that the British would gain trade advantages in Russia.

Sen. Lodge's Friend Arrested, Sues

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 18.—John Jefferies of Boston, a former captain in the American Aviation Corps in France and nephew of Mrs. William R. Wister, No. 1112 Spruce street, has instituted proceedings against Joseph Savage, a policeman of the Fifteenth and Locust streets station, for false arrest, according to Jefferies' counsel, Edward L. D. Roach. Mr. Jefferies was arrested as a suspicious character by the policeman at 1:15 Sunday morning near Twelfth and Walnut streets.

Savage said that he arrested Mr. Jefferies after he had given him several warnings to leave the neighborhood.

Mr. Jefferies came to this city from Washington, where he had been visiting Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, a lifelong friend of the Jefferies family in Boston. He told Mr. Roach that after his arrest he was given no opportunity to communicate with anyone.

Mr. Jefferies comes from a widely known family in New England. At the outbreak of the war he was among the first 1,000 Americans to reach French soil under command of American officers.

After telephoning to his aunt, Mr. Jefferies was invited to dinner at her home. He left his aunt's residence be-

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AMERICAN HELD BY VILLA

Mexican Bandit Demands $20,000 Ransom From State Department

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Francisco Villa, Mexican bandit leader, is holding Joseph E. Askew, an American, for payment of a ransom of $20,000 by the State Department of the United States, according to information furnished by the State Department this afternoon.

Villa maintains that the $20,000 is an old debt owed him by the State Department, the advices declared.

Villa aides an American mining concern to get a large amount of silver bullion out of Mexico during one of the periods of civil warfare, and he was to receive $40,000 for his services. He was paid $20,000, but the State Department advised the mining company against the payment of the other $20,000.

Villa maintains he will hold Askew until the State Department pays the $20,000 which it prevented Villa from receiving several years ago, according to the advices today. Villa has declared he will not accept ransom from sources other than the State Department.

Askew was kidnaped following a raid on a ranch near Lerdo, Durango, on the night of February 1.

NAME BOARD TO SEE THAT GERMANS ARE TRIED

London, Feb. 18.—An inter-allied commission has been appointed by the premiers to insure that Germany keeps her promise to put German war offender on trial, it was announced this afternoon. Germany has sent a communication to the allies giving assurances that "the German nation as a whole and the government will co-operate to insure the trial of the German officers against whom the allied governments have lodged complaints."

HINES TO BE RAILWAY CHIEF UNTIL MAY 1

Washington, Feb. 18.—Walker D. Hines will remain as the administrative head of the railroad administration until May 1, after which he will resume the practice of law in New York, he announced this afternoon. He said he would exercise the functions of the office under the powers given him by President Wilson.

DENIES ALLIED NOTE IS HARSH

A. Bonar Law Cheered for Reference to America and Wilson's Adriatic Protest

London, Feb. 18.—It was officially admitted here this afternoon that President Wilson's note protesting against the settlement of the Adriatic problem by Great Britain, France and Italy threatened the withdrawal of America from the peace treaty.

London, Feb. 18.—A. Bonar Law, speaking for the government in the House of Commons this afternoon, denied that the allied reply to President Wilson's Adriatic protest was harsh in tone. It was carefully drawn and revised, he said.

Mr. Law's declaration that "all recognize the importance of a good understanding with America" was greeted with cheers.

Washington Sees New Crisis in Fiume Note

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Receipt here today of the council of premiers' reply to President Wilson's Adriatic memorandum may cause a real crisis in the peace negotiations of the United States. The reply, sent from London last night, was being decoded today for the President.

If the foreign leaders have not given satisfactory answer to President Wilson, it is believed here he will take further steps, which may mean that the United States will withdraw from further participation

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HELD FOR RECEIVING $280 IN STOLEN OLIVES

Joseph Dinarello, twenty-three years old, of Maverick street, East Boston, was arraigned in East Boston court today before Judge Joseph H. Barnes charged with receiving stolen property, consisting of 200 pounds of olives, valued at $280, the property of W. A. Castle & Co., wholesale grocers of Springfield. Dinarello was held in $600 for a hearing on February 24.

FOUR MONTHS IN PRISON FOR FUR COAT THEFT

Henry Myers was sentenced to four months imprisonment by Judge Brown in Suffolk Superior Court criminal branch today, when found guilty of breaking and entering the Revere High School and stealing a fur coat, property of Eleanor Carter, a pupil.

GUESTS TRAPPED IN FIRE

Three Perish and One Is Injured When Flames Damage Providence Hotel

Providence, R. I., Feb. 18.—Three men were killed and another injured when fire destroyed the two upper stories of the Lorraine Hotel, formerly the Newman, on Avon street, early today.

The remainder of the nearly 200 guests, including a number of New York theatrical persons, fled to the street scantily attired when the blaze was discovered.

Two of the dead were identified as L. G. Kunze, No. 1352 Smith street, Centredale, R. I., and Daniel Warwick of Harrisville, R. I. Partial identification was made of the third body, believed to be that of E. F. Fobert of Springfield, Mass., recently discharged from the army.

Daniel Deutsch of No. 978 Fox street, New York, who jumped from a fourth floor window, was removed

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MERCURY TAKES A JUMP TO FIFTY DEGREES

Today marked the warmest day in 1920. The official thermometer at the Federal Building at 1 p. m. was 50 degrees removed from the zero mark, which has been extremely unpopular for some weeks.

It was the third warm day of the Winter. On December 12 last, the mercury touched 61, and on December 14 it recorded 57.

The annals of the weather bureau show that the warmest February 18 on record was in 1883, 62 degrees.

14 GUILTY OF NOT CLEARING SIDEWALKS

Seventeen residents of Newton Highlands were summoned into Newton court today on charges of not having shoveled the snow from the sidewalks in front of their homes. Fourteen were found guilty and their cases placed on file. Arthur P. Young, a broker; William J. De Witt, a shoe man, and Stephen A. Smith, insurance man, in order to appeal their cases, requested to be fined. They were fined $10 each and appealed.

WALTHAM CALLS FOR BETTER CAR SERVICE

Officers of the Waltham Chamber of Commerce today conferred with officials of Watertown with a view to having the cars of the Boston Elevated and the Middlesex & Boston Street Railway Company run direct from the Harvard square subway station of the "L" through to Waltham, by way of Watertown, instead of stopping as a terminus at Watertown square.

FOOT INJURED BETWEEN TROLLEY CAR AND WAGON

While riding on the step of a trolley car today Thomas McDonough, 21, single, of No. 349 East Ninth street, South Boston, had his right ankle caught between the step and a wagon owned by the Maple Farms of East Cambridge. He is now at the Carney Hospital.

Giants' Star Fielder Accused of Theft

BENNY KAUFF.

BENNY KAUFF IS HELD IN THEFT

Outfielder of Giants Faces Charge in Connection With Stealing of Auto

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 18.—Benny Kauff, star member of the New York Giants, faces arraignment in court here on the charge of grand larceny in connection with the theft of an automobile.

The auto was one Kauff declared he bought from a man named Dorsi, on October 27 last at the Polo Grounds, recently selling it to Ignats Engle for $1,500.

Joseph A. Volter complained to the police that the car was his property and had been stolen.

Kauff was arrested at his home here and after three hours at police headquarters was released on bail. Kauff declares he is innocent.

A letter written by Frank Hone, half-brother of Kauff, fell into the hands of the police and is held as evidence. Hone is out on bail after being arrested in Lancaster, O., on a charge of stealing an automobile, which he is alleged to have sold there.

REPORT 40,000 CASES OF INFLUENZA IN VIENNA

London, Feb. 18.—Forty thousand persons in Vienna are stricken with the influenza, said a dispatch from that city to the Daily Express today. Lack of fuel is said to be mainly responsible. An all night funeral service has been inaugurated by the Vienna street railway system and special cars have been constructed to hold thirty-two coffins.

SOVIET CONFISCATION 'LIKE LIQUOR SEIZURE'

Washington, Feb. 18.—Confiscation of property by the Soviet government of Russia was compared to the confiscation of booze by the United States government by L. C. A. K. Martens, "ambassador" from the Soviet government, today before the Senate committee investigating alleged Bolshevist propaganda.

ACCUSE AUNT OF TAKING CHILD

Extradition Proceedings Conducted Before Governor Bartlett at Concord, N. H.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 18.—The kidnaping of seven-year-old Constance Hope Winter, an Iowa heiress, and a chase extending all over the United States, was revealed here today by extradition proceedings before Governor Bartlett.

Miss Ella Buchanan, Red Cross nurse and sister of the child's mother, is accused of stealing the child.

It appeared at the hearing that she and the child have been living on a farm in Belknap County under the name of Forbes since November, when Miss Buchanan bought the farm.

With them has lived Helen Winter, twenty-one-year-old half-sister of the child, known here as Helen Forbes.

It developed today that although detectives searched every corner of the country, it was not until a few days ago that she was found, when Pinkerton detectives accompanied by a sheriff, fought their way through a blinding snowstorm to the farm.

A letter written by Helen Winter to an admirer in Iowa led to the hiding place of the child and her aunt.

It developed that Constance Hope Winter, also known in Iowa as Anna Marie Winter, vanished from the home of her maiden aunts, sisters of her eighty-year-old father, October 14 last. Search for the child began at once.

SUPPORTED BY AUNT.

It also came out at the hearing that from her birth until May 16, 1916, when "the father stealthily took the child from the home of Ella Buchanan," she had been supported and cared for by the aunt, her father paying only $3 a week for her support, and that from property held by the child's mother, recently selling it to Ignats Engle for $1,500.

According to evidence presented to Governor Bartlett by Colonel Jewett, attorney for Miss Buchanan, the child was born in May, 1913, and was so small that she could be held in the palm of the hand. Miss Buchanan mothered the infant until she was kidnaped from her by the father, who took her to his maiden sister's home. Evidence showed that until taken there by the father the child had never seen the aunt, who held no social intercourse with the father.

A lengthy opinion by Judge Evans of the Iowa District Court, who awarded custody of the child to the father as her legal guardian, was read, as was an opinion from Judge Lenroot of the Iowa Supreme Court, who stated that Judge Evans' decision "might well have been different." In his opinion, Judge Evans warmly praised Miss Buchanan, and referred to the father as "not gifted as a housekeeper," and as having failed to keep the affection of his older daughter.

HELD CHILD ON KNEE.

Miss Buchanan appeared at the hearing finely dressed, in a fur-lined coat, and during the proceedings held the child, also nicely and warmly clad, on her knee. From time to time the little one would whisper in her aunt's ear.

The father, his two sisters and an array of social talent from Iowa represented their side of the case. During the proceedings Attorney Jewett charged Attorney-General Oscar L. Young of the State with acting as attorney for the father and the State of Iowa.

FEARS WILSON'S RECOVERY IS "TOO RAPID"

Washington, Feb. 18.—President Wilson is progressing so rapidly that additional care is being taken that he does not overexert himself, Dr. Grayson stated this afternoon. Dr. Grayson said the Presidents recovery now "is too rapid" and there is danger that he will overtax his strength. For this reason Dr. Grayson has ordered that his work shall be limited.

WILSON SIGNED SECRET PACT TURNING OVER SHIPS TO ENGLAND

BRITISH "GRAB" OF FLEET INCLUDED MONEY BACK

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man of the board, before the Senate Commerce Committee this afternoon.

In opposing the "bargain sale" of the thirty liners to the International Mercantile Marine for $28,000,000 Stevens revealed the decision of the board to auction off the vessels to private interests was not unanimous.

Stevens, whose testimony followed that of Chairman Payne, said he had voted alone against the policy with reference to the ships decided upon by Payne and John A. Donald and Thomas A. Scott, the other members of the board. Although outvoted 3 to 1, Stevens had opposed the course Donald, Payne and Scott had pursued.

The conflict was the result of his opinion that the ships should not be sold, but would prove a profitable investment if they were reconditioned and operated as an important unit of the American merchant marine, Stevens said.

CTEVENS VOTED ALONE.

"There is something bigger in this than mere money," Stevens said. "It is the confidence of the public in the American government. **If you sell the ships at the price proposed you are going to undermine the faith of the American people in the honesty of their government.**

"The ships, in my judgment, are worth two and three times as much as my colleagues on the board say they are worth," Stevens added. "They are worth two or three times as much as has been bid for them.

"It is true they cannot be sold now for what they are worth, but that is because there is no world market for them and there has not been for six years.

"These ships are worth from $65,000,000 to $75,000,000 in my opinion," Stevens continued. "I will show you the fallacy of the estimates of their value the Shipping Board has received.

BUYING AND SELLING SHIPS.

"The board's experts insist upon charging off five per cent. for depreciation per annum on these ships. That is, they would be worth nothing in twenty years. Now, nine of these German ships are more than twenty years old and some of the best bids we received were for them despite the fact that it will take millions to recondition them.

"When the government buys ships it figures depreciation at 2½ per cent. per annum and that is not a flat depreciation, but on the depreciated value each year to year. Why, then, when we sell ships should we figure depreciation at 5 per cent., a figure that is obviously absurd?"

Stevens said the ex-German ships could not be replaced for less than $100,215,000, even allowing for $31,407,000 in their depreciation.

Stevens charged the other members of the board with not making "proper efforts" to determine the value of the ships, and said he had voted against a resolution adopted by the other members of the board that the sales division be instructed to negotiate further for the sales of the said ex-German passenger ships on the terms heretofore announced.

Payne embodied the resolution in a long prepared statement he presented to the committee.

"I differ fundamentally with my colleagues on the board on the principle involved in the proposed sale of the ships," Stevens said.

President Disposed of Fleet at Paris

Washington, Feb. 18.—The Boston American is authoritatively informed by a man who, in his official position, had occasion to handle the documents, that a definite agreement for the disposition of German ships seized by the United States was made between Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson.

This agreement was formally effected into and signed by them at Versailles and duly filed. Lloyd George and Woodrow Wilson were the only signatories.

It related not only to German shipping seized by the United States but to German shipping seized in German ports by the Allies.

The representative of the American has not personally seen this document, but the standing and position of the man who makes the assertion is sufficient to convince the American that his statement is correct.

If this is the agreement about which the United States Senate is seeking information, the American presents to the Senate the following digest of it:

The agreement stipulates that all German shipping seized in German ports by the allies shall be applied, ton for ton and class for class, to the maritime losses sustained by the allies during the war.

This means that an allied nation losing a passenger vessel is awarded one of the seized German passenger liners of like tonnage and class.

ENGLAND GREATEST GAINER.

Great Britain, having suffered the greatest maritime losses is, of course, the greatest beneficiary under the agreement.

It is further stipulated in the agreement that all German vessels seized by the United States in American waters shall be applied class for class and ton for ton to the maritime losses sustained by the United States.

Any surplus tonnage above the losses sustained by the United States shall be turned over to the reparations commission of the allied council in the form of the value of the surplus tonnage.

Our losses in passenger vessels were slight compared to those of Great Britain. The class-for-class and ton-for-ton agreement would naturally leave a large amount of passenger liner tonnage to be applied to the losses of other nations, and particularly Great Britain, through the reparation commission.

Apparently the money obtained from the sale of these surplus ships would not go to the United States but to the Reparation Commission, with the result that the purchasers, in the interest of Great Britain, would obtain them at a cheap price, and Great Britain itself would subsequently receive its pro rata of the purchase price through the Reparation Commission.

If You Are a Real American, Sign This

To the Congress of the United States:

I appeal to the members of Congress to use their influence with President Wilson to halt the proposed sale of thirty former German ships.

Further, I petition that there be a most thorough and full investigation of every important fact covering the proposed sale. This investigation should most thoroughly probe the report that the Shipping Board plans to sell these ships, including some of the largest and finest steamships afloat, for $28,000,000, which is declared to be but one-third of their real value.

I desire to ask why cannot the government itself operate these fine ships rather than sacrifice two-thirds of their value?

(Signed)

Name .....

Street and Number .....

City and State .....

(When you have signed the above petition, mail it to your Congressman AT ONCE. Only quick action can stop it.)

Flaherty Post Protests Sale of Ships

Lieutenant Lawrence J. Flaherty Post of the American Legion, representing 1,500 veterans, at its meeting in East Boston, protested in resolutions against "the unparalleled blow against American institutions by the action of the United States Shipping Board in sacrificing former German merchant ships allotted to the United States through the outcome of the recent world war."

Prominent New Hampshire Men Against Disposal

Concord, N. H., Feb. 18.—Two prominent New Hampshire men interviewed on the proposed sale of the German liners said as follows:

M. S. DONNELLY, Manchester—I think it a shame to sell them.

ELISHA A. BURT, Berlin—I am in favor of sale to U. S. citizens only.

RHODE ISLAND PROTESTS.

CHRISTOPHER M. DUNN, Deputy Labor Commissioner—I hope the Hearst newspapers will stop the sale of ships, which would be a disgrace if allowed to go through as scheduled by the Shipping Board. It took great courage to combat this Christmas gift and the people know where the credit belongs. Here we have a crippled merchant marine and they want to sell on the installment plan the ships which would put our merchant marine where it should be. The Hearst newspapers are doing a great public service.

CONNECTICUT PROTESTS.

EUGENE P. GOLDEN, Senator, 15th district, Conn.—Ridiculous to sell cream of the merchant fleet of the world for such a low figure.

W. W. MILLER, Representative, Hartford, Conn.—I am opposed to the sale of the ships for $28,000,000.

BRITAIN DENIES WILSON PACT

Declare President Never Agreed to Sale of German Ships to England

London, Feb. 18.—The British Foreign Office flatly denies that President Wilson has ever agreed to the purchase by England of the fleet of German ships held by the United States, which are now the subject of litigation at Washington.

An official of the Foreign Office, when shown American dispatches with regard to reports of a secret agreement between President Wilson and Britain concerning the disposition of the ships, pointed out that the fate of these vessels was decided by the "Big Five" at the last Spring, and that the agreement bearing the signatures of the powers was made public at the time.

News of the suspension of the ships' sale has created a profound stir in Liverpool shipping circles. The great British passenger-carrying lines anticipating keen American competition as a result of the transfer of the United States Shipping Board's fleet to the Atlantic trade, a big Anglo-American rate fight is generally predicted as inevitable.

British ship-owners decline to comment, as they have decided never to enter the realm of international politics. It is pointed out that British bidding for the ships would be purely a matter of business, though it is frankly admitted that there is no question that any patriotic and public-spirited American has the right to take action with a view to safeguard his country's army transport service in case of an emergency.

London newspapers refrain from comment on the news regarding the suspended ship sale, merely printing brief dispatches from Washington and New York telling of developments.

Legion Post Opposes Selling German Ships

James R. Welch Post No. 56, American Legion, went on record unanimously, as opposing the sale of the seized German liners. In its resolution the efforts of the Boston American and its publisher, William Randolph Hearst, were endorsed.

The post unanimously passed another resolution favoring the passage of the resolution calling for $50 monthly bonus for all service men and women. Copies of both resolutions were sent to all Massachusetts Congressmen.

Vermont Legislators Oppose Sale of Ships

Burlington, Vt., Feb. 18.—The proposed sale of the former German steamships by the United States Shipping Board has stirred Vermont legislators and officials. They condemn the proposition to sell the ships "for a song." The opinions of many follow:

CHARLES W. GATES, former Vermont Governor, Franklin—I do not believe the efforts of the German ships should be sold for one-eighth their value.

M. W. PHILLIPS, Representative, Irasburg—I think the government should keep those confiscated German ships.

E. N. CONNAL, Representative, Newport Center—I believe the German ships should be sold at auction to Americans retaining the right of use by the government in case of need.

C. E. HAMBLETT, Senator, Barton—I do not believe it is good business to sell any property for one-eighth its real value.

WILLIAM H. NORTON, Representative, Vergennes—I believe that many of these ships could be used

F. W. FITZGERALD, Representative, Norwich—I should deem it very unwise for the United States government to sell the confiscated German ships for one-eighth their value.

CHARLES H. FARNSLEE, Representative, Wilmington—The United States should not sell a confiscated German ship for one-eighth its real value.

AMASA SWEET, Representative, Lowell—It seems to me that the government should get the highest possible cash price.

DANA C. MARSH, Representative, Hancock—I am opposed to any such deal.

H. M. J. JONES, Former State Food Administrator, Montpelier—I think if the confiscated German ships are sold that the price should be what they are worth and under no circumstances at one-eighth their real values.

WILSON C. HINTON, Representative, Charleston—I don't believe the government should sell any of the German fleet for one-eighth its value.

D. M. DWINELL, Representative, Newport—I do not believe the government should sell the ships at one-eighth their real value.

C. W. SLEEPER, Representative, Barnard—I think the ships should not be sold. I think they are more valuable to the U. S.

MYRON C. MAXHAM, Representative Worcester—I see no reason why the government should sell the German ships at one-eighth their actual value.

JOHN A. FOSS, Representative Pinnacle—Most assuredly not. The government should not sell the ships for one-eighth their value.

ALMON E. GOODNO, Representative Rochester—I am opposed to any such action on the part of the government.

CHARLES M. WHITE, Representative, Woodstock—I am decidedly opposed to the sale of any confiscated German vessels to any foreign company or nation at less than their actual cash value.

EDWARD H. PALMER, Monkton—Not knowing any good reason why the confiscated ships should be sold at such a low price, I believe they should be kept by the government to build up our merchant marine.

HARRY B. AMES, Senator, of Brighton—Emphatically no, the United States should not sell the confiscated German ships for one-eighth their value.

CHARLES B. HOLDEN, Representative, North Troy—Such a proceeding would not seem business-like, therefore I believe the government should not sell the ships at such a price.

E. C. TAYLOR, Representative, Wallingford—I am opposed to the government selling the confiscated German ships for one-eighth their value. I believe they should be sold only in view of the present shipping situation I am at a loss to know why the government should not operate enterprise and ability enough to get their real value.

C. R. BURGIN, Representative, Morgan—I do not believe in the United States government selling ships at any price below par until our foreign relations are in different shape.

FRANK T. TAYLOR, Representative, Hardwick—There is no hurry to sell as they would not depreciate more. They might be made a nucleus for a merchant marine. Let Congress investigate and know what is best for the most people and then go ahead.

ASHLEY J. GOSS, Representative, West Danville—It is too great a sacrifice to sell merchant ships at such a price.

WILLIAM J. McCARREN, Representative, Barnet—I do not think the confiscated ships should be sacrificed at one-eighth of their value. They should bring two-thirds of their actual value.

G. DAVIS, Representative, Rutland—Vermont's Representatives are on the job and I am willing to leave it to them.

British Firm's Flag Flies on Leviathan

New York, Feb. 18.—The flag of the International Mercantile Marine is already flying on the greatest giantess of the sea—the Leviathan.

Despite denials of the United States Shipping Board that there has been any understanding between the International Mercantile Marine and the board concerning the sale of any of the thirty German war prizes, photographers took pictures of the Leviathan as she lay at her pier in Hoboken, showing the company's emblem flying from her mainmast.

Most remarkable was the absence of any flag of the United States Shipping Board flying on any part of the greatest ship in the world which is still supposed to be under the board's control.

The Stars and Stripes hung at her stern, and the only other emblem in sight was the house flag of the International Mercantile Marine—a spread eagle in blue on a white background.

FLEET VALUED BY BRITISHER

York to Tell Senate of Aiding Expert Authorized by Shipping Board

By JUSTIN McGRATH,
Editorial Correspondent Universal Service.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Was the Shipping Board's appraisal of the German ships on which Chairman John Barton Payne based his conclusion that the International Mercantile Marine's bid of $28,000,000 represented the approximate value of the fleet, made by an Englishman?

John Devereaux York of Chicago, who is in Washington to testify today before the Senate Commerce Committee, served on one board that made an appraisal of the ships. So far as he knows, it was the only board that did appraise the ships.

York says that the chairman of the board on which he served was Bert Locke, an Englishman, and that Locke claimed to have his authority from the Shipping Board. York is prepared to tell the Senate committee just how he came to be employed by Locke and some remarkable experiences he had while working under Locke's directions.

APPROACHED BY ENGLISHMAN.

"Mr. Locke," said Mr. York, "was connected with the Clyde Line. He came to my home in Chicago one evening after the signing of the armistice and asked me if I would be open to an engagement to help him make an inspection of the German ships with a view to appraising their value. He said he acted for the United States Shipping Board and showed what purported to be authority from the board to make the inspection.

"I had of course no reason to doubt that his credentials were regular because they secured us permission to examine all of the German ships thoroughly. He told me he had learned that I had done some work at the Peebles yard on the Clyde in 1899 and that was why he had hunted me up. He made me a good offer for the work he asked me to do. I received my pay from him, not from the shipping board.

AROUSED BY DEVELOPMENTS.

"I did not attach any importance at the time to the fact that the shipping board had selected an Englishman to make the appraisal of the ships and that Mr. Locke said he had hunted me up to assist him in his work because I once had a connection with a British shipping yard. Now, because of developments in connection with the proposed sale, I am anxious to know more about the circumstances of Mr. Locke's employment."

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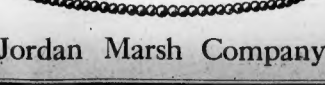

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"NOT A CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT," McADOO TELLS GEORGIANS

WOULD LET DELEGATES DECIDE

Former Secretary Wants Selection of Candidate Left to Party Convention

New York, Feb. 18.—William G. McAdoo today announced in a letter made public here that he is not a candidate for the Democratic nomination for President. He asked that his name be withdrawn from the Georgia primary.

The former Secretary of the Treasury declared, however, that he regarded it as the "imperative duty of any man to accept nomination if it should come to him unsolicited."

Mr. McAdoo's telegram was addressed to Miller S. Bell, Mayor of Milledgeville, Ga., and was in answer to a telegram notifying him that his name had been placed in the Georgia primary by the citizens of Milledgeville. Mr. McAdoo's telegram follows:

"Your telegram informing me that the citizens of Milledgeville have entered my name in the Democratic primary of the State of Georgia for President of the United States duly received. I am deeply moved by this manifestation of the confidence of my friends who live in the city of my boyhood and in the State of my nativity.

"It is indeed an honor to be considered by them worthy of such high station. I feel, however, that I should candidly state my position. I am not seeking the nomination and am reluctant to do anything that would create the appearance of a candidacy. I cannot help feeling that this is peculiarly a time when we should fight for principles and not for individuals.

WOULDN'T BIND DELEGATES.

"Therefore, I should like to see the next Democratic national convention composed of untrammelled men and women bound to no particular candidate and allowed to express their preferences freely through the abolition of the unit rule.

"Personally I should be delighted if the next national convention might actually be a Democratic conference, where the utmost freedom of action should prevail and where the matter of high service alone should control. "If in such convention a platform is adopted and a candidate is selected representing the great constructive, progressive and spiritual forces of the day, the favorable opinion of the country would be enlisted at the very outset. The issue would then be sharply drawn between us and the forces of standpatism and reaction which are already over-reaching themselves and claiming with presumptuous confidence the victory in next November.

WANTS NAME WITHDRAWN.

"Holding these views you can readily understand why I prefer not to be entered in the Georgia primary and why I must beg my good friends to withdraw my name. I could consistently enter the primary in any State when it is my earnest conviction that the delegates from every State should go to the convention without instructions save to use their power and opportunity for the best service of their country.

"No greater honor than a nomination for the Presidency can come to any man, short of election to the Presidency itself. In a democracy like ours the obligations of good citizenship are supreme, and I should therefore regard it as the imperative duty of any man to accept a nomination if it should come to him unsolicited. I say this at the risk of being charged with harboring a candidacy, notwithstanding the explicit statement in this letter, but I am sure that, on the whole, I shall not be misunderstood."

BILL FORCES LANDLORDS TO FURNISH HEAT

Landlords would be required to maintain a temperature of 65 degrees from 6 o'clock in the morning until 11 o'clock at night during the period of the year between October 15 and April 15, under the terms of a bill which was favored before the judiciary committee by Health Commissioner Woodward of Boston, Mayor Adams of Melrose, representing the Commission on the Necessaries of Life, and Representative Silbert of Boston.

TWO ARE SAVED IN WHITMAN FIRE

Whitman, Feb. 18.—Edward A. Parker and Mrs. Jennie Sharpe, who occupy apartments on the second floor of the postoffice block, Whitman Centre, were rescued by firemen when fire destroyed the block early today. The two upper floors of the structure were totally destroyed, causing a loss of $20,000. Only an hour before fire in a feed room in the basement was apparently extinguished.

SUPERIOR OF ST. MARY'S INFANT ASYLUM DEAD

Sister Veronica, for forty-five years a member of the order of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul and for sixty years superior of St. Mary's Infant Asylum and of St. Margaret's Hospital, Dorchester, is dead at the latter institution. She was the only five days. Pneumonia was the cause.

FARM STOCK DIE IN $10,000 WEYMOUTH FIRE

Fire of undetermined origin caused a damage of $10,000 when it destroyed a stable, garage, an automobile, a cow, 15 turkeys and 50 hens, a quantity of hay and farming implements belonging to Daniel P. Sullivan, Jr., at No. 236 Randolph street, South Weymouth.

Poindexter to Speak

Newport, R. I., Feb. 18. — United States Senator Poindexter will address the Newport Young Men's Republican Club as soon as arrangements can be made for a date.

Woman Asks $57,000 on Marriage Pact

Goshen, N. Y., Feb. 18.—An income claim on a marriage settlement agreement alleged to have been made in England, has just been received by Surrogate Elwood C. Smith against the estate of Augustus D. Juillard, late of New York and Tuxedo Park, whose will, disposing of property valued at more than $5,000,000, was admitted to probate here September 25, 1918.

The claim is made by Laura Cornelia Dethble Machado, wife of Jose Dethble Machado, consul-general of Guatemala. Her present address is No. 3200 Kenesaw street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

The papers allege that the claimant was formerly Miss Laura C. Juillard, a niece of the late Augustus D. Juillard, she claims $57,000 with interest from September 14, 1914, and a yearly income of $20,000 from April 1, 1919, alleging that Mr. and Mrs. Juillard and the claimant and her husband entered into a marriage settlement agreement in London and that the claims are based upon its terms.

SOVIET PRAISED BY HILLQUIT

Socialist Leader at Assemblymen's Trial Says His Party Is Marxian Democratic

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 18.—A sweeping denial that the Socialists of America are Bolsheviists or that they foster the adoption of a Soviet government for the United States, was made today by Morris Hillquit, the party leader in America, qualifying as an expert in the proceedings against the five suspended Socialist assemblymen.

"We Socialists in America are not Bolsheviks," declared Hillquit. "We are in reality Social Democrats of the Marxian type.

"To say that a Soviet government for the United States is our aim or to say that a Soviet government is appropriate for the United States is infantile. The farmers of the United States are not comparable to the peasants of Russia, nor is industrial America to be compared with the industry of Russia.

"Summed up, we sympathize with Soviet Russia for the following reasons:

"We recognize Russia as being governed by the workingmen classes, the underdogs, if you please.

"The opposition to Soviet Russia comes from the pro-Czar quarters and from reactionaries. As between the Soviets and the pro-Czars we prefer the Soviets.

"We are opposed to the blockade, the financing of counter revolution in Russia, the practical carrying on of a war against a country with which we are not at war

NO TIME FOR GAYETY SAYS BELGIAN PREMIER

Brussels, Feb. 18.—"We must make the people understand that this is not a moment for the pursuit of pleasure and amusement and that Europe will not be restored by the shirt of gayety but by the ceaseless movement of productive machinery," said Premier Delacroix in a message to the people today. The workingman is determined to labor patriotically until Belgium is restored. I believe in putting Germany in a position to work so that the Germans may make good more quickly the damage they have done."

FEWER BUSINESS FAILURES REPORTED

Washington, Feb. 18.—Business failures were 19 per cent. fewer in the first three weeks of January than in the corresponding period last year, treasury figures today showed. Statistics for December revealed 581 business reverses with liabilities of $8,200,000, which is better than the record for this month in any previous year since 1894. Compared with 683 insolvencies for $12,000,000 in December, a percentage of 14 per cent. in number and 32 per cent. in liabilities are shown.

BERLIN PAPER ASSERTS ALLIES ACQUIT HOLLWEG

Berlin, Feb. 18.—Now that the allies have relented on the question of trying German war offenders in allied countries, the Mittag Am Zeitung declared today that "further concessions are expected."

The "complete retreat" of the allies, it said, and the fact presented by the allies in being sifted and such names as that of former Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg are being eliminated.

BURNED OUT, WANTS $400 TAXES REFUNDED

Newport, R. I., Feb. 18.—A petition has been received by the town council of Middletown from Josephine J. Mott, wife of Jonah L. Mott, representing that the value of her estate, "Paradise Rock," was largely diminished by fire last June and asking that $400 of the tax assessed June 1, 1919, be refunded. The buildings are valued at $50,000.

FIND ROXBURY MAN UNCONSCIOUS IN STREET

Henry Dunphy, twenty-three, of Parker street, Roxbury, was found unconscious on Lamartine street today. He was taken to the City Hospital, where physicians said he would recover. Alcohol poisoning was given as the cause.

PASTOR FALLS DEAD IN MISSIONS' OFFICE

Rev. James H. Pettee, for forty years a missionary in Japan, died suddenly at the office of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, 10 Beacon street.

LENTEN SEASON IS OPENED

Catholic and Protestant Churches Have Special Exercises

Today, Ash Wednesday, ushered in the Lenten season of forty weekdays and six Sundays, with appropriate services in all the Catholic and many of the Protestant churches of the city.

Seven services were held at St. Paul's Cathedral, where Dean Rousmaniere preached at 10.30 a. m. and at 8 p. m., and holy communion was administered at the former hour.

At King's Chapel the season was inaugurated by a service at 11.30 a. m. with a sermon by Rev. Sydney B. Snow, associate pastor, and singing by the quartet choir.

Cardinal O'Connell officiated at the blessing of the ashes at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross and presided at solemn high mass at 8 a. m.

The blessing of the ashes at the Mission Church, old st. Mary's, North End, and the Church of the Immaculate Conception took place before the early mass at 5.30.

Next Sunday the Passionist Fathers of the Blessed Gabriel Monastery, Brighton, will open a two weeks' mission at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, the first week for women and the second for men.

Other special Lenten services include a series of Wednesday evening lectures at Trinity Church by Rev. Alexander Mann on the history of the Episcopal Church, and special services at the Union Congregational Church on Sunday mornings and evenings and on Fridays.

Newton Children Give Church Mardi-Gras

Above, William Mitchell as King and Lois Woodworth as Queen in the annual party of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Newton Highlands. Below, left to right, Polly Parsons, Emily Farnsworth, Jane Grey and Marjorie Frolich as ladies-in-waiting.

Court Would Decide President's Fitness

Washington, Feb. 18.—Representative Fess of Ohio announced today that he is preparing an amendment to the constitution, which he will introduce in the House, providing that the Supreme Court of the United States may decide, upon appeal from Congress, as to the incapacity of the President to perform his duties.

The amendment further provides that when the Supreme Court decides the President is unable to function, the duties of the President shall devolve upon the Vice-President until such time as the President again is able to assume the duties of his office.

MILLIKEN MADE NEW CONTROLLER OF MALDEN

By a vote of the Common Council and Board of Aldermen of Malden, Walter Milliken, assistant treasurer of the city, was made city controller today to succeed W. H. Torrey, who has resigned. The Council has passed an order for a $150 increase, which will bring the salary of the city controller up to $2,500, providing it is passed by the Board of Aldermen.

JAILED FOR ATTEMPT TO BRIBE TAX COLLECTOR

Chicago, Feb. 18.—After spending a night in jail on a charge of handing an alleged $15,000 bribe to a Federal income tax collector, Albert I. Lauer, secretary and treasurer of Briggs & Turivas, an iron salvaging corporation, renewed his efforts to obtain his freedom today, aided by former United States Senator James Hamilton Lewis.

CLINTON FARMER HANGS HIMSELF

Clinton, Feb. 18.—Despondency due to ill health is believed to have caused S. Edward Perry to commit suicide by hanging himself in his barn. The body was discovered by his wife.

Held on Drug Charge

Frank McNulty, twenty-one, of Dedham street, South End, was in the Municipal Court today, charged with having drugs in his possession. He was held in $500 for a continued hearing next Wednesday.

Nearly 300 children, members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Newton Highlands, participated in the annual church party held in the parish house. The entertainment, which took the form of a Mardi-Gras, was presented under the direction of A. A. Cole, superintendent of the church Sunday school.

The royal party, composed of children under ten years of age, was headed by William Mitchell as king and Lois Woodworth as queen. Clarence and Robert McCabe acted as heralds. The royal party was also attended by four ladies-in-waiting and four pages.

The program consisted of costume dancing and various forms of entertainment. The main attraction for the children was the "Grand March." The Senior Girl's Club presented "Charades," acted out in costume. A black face song and dance was featured by the Boy's Club. The younger members of the parish presented various forms of folk dancing.

PELICAN'S FISH CARGO CONDEMNED AND SOLD

Boston health department officials today condemned as unfit for food the entire fish cargo of the trawler Pelican, which sank at T wharf about a week ago after her bow had been pierced by ice floes and has since been raised. The entire fare amounted to about 150,000 pounds, valued at $4,500. It was sold to N. Ward & Co. to be used as fertilizer.

DIES FROM INJURIES RECEIVED IN HOLDUP

Francis J. Moriarity, 26, is dead at his home, No. 553 East Fifth street, South Boston, as the result of injuries received six months ago while he was on the Elevated, when attacked and robbed by a gang of young men. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning in the date of Heaven Church.

GRESHAM OFF TO AID OF CRIPPLED SCHOONER

The Coast Guard cutter Gresham left the harbor this morning on a search for the Gloucester fishing schooner Fannie E. Prescott, reported by the trawler Wave to be drifting helplessly somewhere off the coast.

Put Under Observation

William J. Simmons, twenty-one years old, of Attleborough street, was found acting queerly at Harrison avenue and Dover street today. He was taken to City Hospital for observation.

Child Suffocated in Overheated Room

Mrs. Pearl Taylor of No. 4 Birchestead street, Lynn, returned from work in a local factory at noon today, and found her four-year-old daughter dead on a bed in the kitchen of their home.

According to Dr. E. B. Davis, the child died of suffocation, due to exhaustion of oxygen in the room by a hot fire in the cooking range.

Mrs. Taylor, who was prostrated and placed in a physician's care, told the police that when she left home at 7 o'clock today, the little girl was asleep. There was no one else in the apartment.

MILTON CANDIDATES LAUNCH THEIR FIGHT

A caucus opened the political fight in Milton preliminary to the election in March. A contest for the Board of Selectmen is being waged by Samuel Gerdon, Leroy Morgan and Raymond D. Kelly. A school board fight has begun, with Miss Harriet Whittier and George Y. Badger seeking the seats of Charles M. Rogerson and Mrs. Eva T. Churchill.

DEPORTATION PLANS CALLED "INDEFINITE"

Washington, Feb. 18.—Plans for the deportation of alleged "Reds" captured in raids during the last three months, are indefinite, Commissioner of Immigration Tom Smith stated today. "He said that the transportation problem is a serious one and that it is probable there will not be another "Soviet Ark" sailing for some time.

PROTESTANTISM TOO NEGATIVE, SAYS PARSON

Rev. Percy G. Rammerer in his noon address today at St. Paul's Cathedral said young people are getting away from religion because Protestantism and Puritanism are too negative. "We are constantly saying 'Thou shalt not,'" he declared. "In this spirit we are failing to catch the young. We want a catholicism that is not exclusive."

Foster Estate $15,000

Alfred F. Kendall of Somerville has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Florentha L. Foster of Somerville, who died November 14, 1919. The estate is valued at $15,000.

AFFINITY ASKS WIFE FOR MATE

Divorcee Wrote She Had Won Husband's Love, Says Mrs. Heiss, Seeking Divorce

New York, Feb. 18.—A letter from "the other woman," calling herself "part of the eternal triangle," was submitted to Supreme Court Justice Cavaghan in Brooklyn by Mrs. Margaret de Heiss, in support of her application for alimony and counsel fees, pending trial of her suit for separation from John Heiss, chiropractor. The other woman, Mrs. Heiss says, is Mrs. Augusta Nelson, a wealthy widow living at No. 55 West One Hundred and Seventy-third street, where Heiss is also said to make his headquarters.

In the letter, which is signed "Augusta," Mrs. Nelson tells her of her unfortunate marital experience with an opera singer, leading up to her divorce and her meeting with Heiss, after which she "learned to know what real love is." The writer pleads with Mrs. Heiss to give up her husband because he does not love her, and adds:

"We often speak of you and wish you could find some good, true man. Could you find happiness in life knowing that you were an unloved wife and that his every thought was with another woman? I would really like to meet you so that we can thoroughly understand this case. We can go to some quiet place and have lunch. When you have made your decision, let me telephone John and he will communicate with me."

In closing the writer tells of her own efforts to win back the love of a fickle husband and says: "The greatest mistake a woman can make is to try to win a husband back when he has ceased to love her."

BOSTON MEN INJURED IN SQUANTUM CAVE-IN

Peter Mullen of No. 23 Josephine street, Dorchester, and John J. Dunphy of No. 585 Dudley street, Dorchester, were seriously injured when the collapse of a cave-in on which they were at work in the Victory plant at Squantum caved in.

Girl, 17, Four Years in Harem, Is Bride

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 18.—After escaping from a Turkish harem, where she had been confined more than four years, Elizabeth Koumrian, seventeen-year-old Armenian girl, was married Monday to Robert Kellejian, a young Armenian, of No. 724 South Sixtieth street. This culminated happily a romance born out of the tragedy surrounding the Armenian massacres in 1915.

Elizabeth, the bride, when only 12½ years old, was captured by a Turk in the course of the massacres in the neighborhood of the Armenian town of Bitlis, Turkey, in April, 1915. The Turk, tying the girl to the saddle of his horse, fled to a Turkish village, where he made her an inmate of his harem.

There she remained for more than four years. During all this time, said the married woman, the Turk, despite the heroic girl refused to renounce the Christian religion and to embrace Mohammedanism, despite the tortures which were constantly inflicted upon her to compel her to do so.

Finally, in the Turk's absence, she managed to escape with the aid of other of the Turk's wives, who had manifested intense jealousy of the Armenian girl from the beginning. Even the Turk's father had objected against the incarceration of a girl so young in his harem, and it was he who helped Elizabeth in a measure to escape.

BODY IN BARREL IS SET AFIRE

Attempt to Burn Shed Reveals Murder Mystery at Rochester, N. Y.

By International News Service.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 18.—A murder mystery was revealed here today when an attempt was made to burn a wagon shed in the Hudson district.

Firemen discovered the body of Filippe Farara, twenty-eight, doubled up in a barrel which was rapidly being consumed by flames.

Examination of the body showed that the man had been dead but a short time. He had evidently been slain by an instrument, his throat being cut and his face gashed. There were stab wounds on his body.

The police discovered evidence that the man had been murdered in the attic of the house where he lived, and after he had been killed the body was carried in the barrel, which was placed on a sleigh and removed to the wagon shed, several blocks away, where it was saturated with oil and set afire.

FUNERAL TOMORROW OF MRS. MARGARET DEVINEY

Mrs. Margaret DeViney, seventy-two, mother of Matthew J. DeViney, formerly advertising manager of the American, will be buried at Franklin, N. H., following services at St. Aidan's Church, Brookline, at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. The body now lies at the family home, No. 111 Thornditke road, Brookline. Four sons and a daughter survive her. They are Matthew J. and Michael DeViney and Mrs. Mary Savage. The latter two died in St. Louis. The others reside in Brookline. Mrs. DeViney was a native of Ireland.

JOHN McMORROW OF DORCHESTER BURIED

Funeral services for John McMorrow, No. 322 Adams street, Dorchester, were held today at St. Ambrose's Church, Rev. John H. Harrigan being celebrant of the mass. Mr. McMorrow was a building contractor.

Asks Peters to Inspect

James V. Donnarumma, president of the North End Improvement Association, has written to Mayor Peters asking him to visit Snill street and view the filthy condition of the streets and yards.

CALL EXPERTS IN BURKE TRIAL

Defence Prepares to Meet Charge That Notes From Bartley Were Forged

Skowhegan, Me., Feb. 18.—James D. Hamlin, New York lawyer, who, when on trial for forgery several years ago qualified as a handwriting expert and his acquittal, has arrived here today to augment the staff of defence experts who will testify at the trial of John A. Burke, charged with the murder of Nelson W. Bartley.

The defence experts are expected to testify that notes for more than $2,000 which Burke claims he received from Bartley before he was murdered are genuine. The government claims they are forgeries.

William Hingston, the Boston handwriting expert, is one of the government witnesses.

Dr. F. N. Whittier, bacteriologist, who took the stand Monday afternoon, is still engaged in making microscopic examinations of the trousers worn by Burke on the night he declared he was shot by Bartley. He is endeavoring to show that Burke shot himself.

Today's session developed little evidence of importance.

Alimony of Divorcees Exempt from Tax

New York, Feb. 18. — Waiters, porters, barbers, hellboys and others, who are lucky enough to get tips, must keep tabs on them and give Uncle Sam a "divvy." The collector of internal revenue today called attention to the fact that these gratuities must be included in income tax returns, because they are regarded as part of salary or wages.

Ladies who collect alimony, however, escape taxation on that portion of their income. Marriage allowances, too, are free of tax, but if such funds are invested, the income obtained must be included in the tax returns.

BREAK IN COAL FAMINE

Arrival of 9000 Tons and Mild Weather Relieves Serious Fuel Situation

Rising temperatures, together with the arrival of 9,000 tons of coal by water, afforded some relief in the local fuel situation today.

The greater part of coal was reported to be easier, although many manufacturers throughout New England were said to be still suffering from a shortage.

The Lake Bledsoe from Norfolk brought 2,500 tons for the New England Fuel & Transportation Company. The Lake Harney, from the same port, carried 3,200 tons for the Boston & Maine. Fifteen hundred tons each arrived on the barges Bethayres and Monitor for the Metropolitan Coal Company, and one barge came in which was carrying fuel for Gloucester.

WORCESTER TROLLEYS SEEK 10-CENT FARE

Worcester, Feb. 18—As a result of the severe Winter the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Company will ask the Public Service Commission for the right to charge a 10-cent fare, it was said today. The company claims that the storm cost the road $100,000 and that revenue was cut by 70 per cent.

NORTH WEYMOUTH WOMAN STRICKEN ILL IN BOSTON

Mrs. Laura B. Brown, aged fifty-three, of No. 83 Sea street, North Weymouth, was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage in a business concern at No. 120 Water street, and is in a serious condition at the Haymarket Relief Hospital.

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HIGGINS BURIED AT CALVARY

Elevated Officials and Labor Men Attend Funeral of Car Union Head

Every department of the Boston Elevated Company, from trustee to car cleaner, was represented today at the funeral of Matthew J. Higgins, president of the local Carmen's Union, who died last Sunday following the death of his wife by less than two weeks.

More than a thousand members of the union preceded the funeral cortege from the Higgins home on Weld Hill street to St. Andrew's Church, Jamaica Plain, where Rev. William J. Casey celebrated the requiem mass. At the door of the church the long lines of blue-clad men separated, and all uncovered as the casket was carried from the church.

From the church to New Calvary Cemetery four cars of the Elevated preceded the cortege, all of them bound in mourning and the flag at the Forest Hills car barns swung at half-staff.

The honorary pallbearers were: James H. Jackson, chairman of the Elevated trustees; John S. Stevens of the trustees; William Nealey, president of the State branch, A. F. of L.; Richard Garrity, president of Boston Council, and Edward Cahill, president of transportation of the Elevated, and John C. Barrett, grand knight of Mt. Pleasant Council, K. of C.

The active pallbearers were: Thomas F. Shine, international vice-president of the Carmen's Union; Christopher J. Dwyer, acting president of the local union; William Walsh, business agent; John W. Hurley, secretary; John J. Lyons, recording secretary; Charles H. Clark and John J. Cronin of the executive board of the union.

DELAY IN WELLESLEY HOSPITAL DEATH CASE

Hearing on a charge of manslaughter against Mrs. Margaret Coumans, a Wellesley nurse, again was continued today in the District Court at Dedham on account of the inability of District Attorney Bateman to be present. The nurse is accused of being responsible for the death by suicide of Mrs. Mary C. Lots, who was a patient in the Wiswall sanitarium at Wellesley.

SPIKED CABLE DISRUPTS TELEPHONE SERVICE

Telephone subscribers had trouble in getting the Dorchester exchange this morning, owing to a spike in a trunk cable connecting with Beach, Main, Richmond and Haymarket exchanges. The break was caused by gas company employes, who spiked the cable. Emergency lines were arranged through the Roxbury and Brookline offices.

CLINTON LEADS FIGHT FOR $60,000 ROADWAY

Clinton, Feb. 18.—The Chamber of Commerce is to take a leading part in presenting facts to the legislative Committee on Roads and Bridges relative to the bill calling for $60,000 for the rebuilding of the so-called Boylston road. Yesterday a hearing was held to interest the people of this town, Sterling, West Boylston, Lancaster and also of Worcester to speak in favor of the appropriation.

COLUMBIA POST PLANS MEMORIAL EXERCISES

Memorial services for the deceased members of Columbia Post of the American Legion will be held next Monday. In addition to exercises arranged to be held in the hall of the Post, there will be a memorial solemn high mass celebrated at St. Monica's Church, Dorchester street, South Boston.

JUVENILES TO GIVE CONCERT AT SCHOOL

Members of the faculty of the Jamaica Plain Conservatory of Music will give a concert tomorrow at 3:15 o'clock at the High School of Practical Arts. Several New England poets will be Miss Louise L. Tagger, Miss Anna Ishovice, Lewis Reed, Agnes Ullian and members of a string quartet.

ANTHONY FITZPATRICK, POLICE SERGEANT, DEAD

Sergeant Anthony Fitzpatrick, forty-three, of Station 5, and residing at No. 22 Barry street, Dorchester, died today at the Boston City Hospital after a two weeks' illness. He is survived by his widow and seven children. He joined the Boston police force November 12, 1906, being promoted to sergeant in 1918.

JOHN J. CROWLEY OF STATE PRISON BURIED

John J. Crowley, formerly officer in charge of the Hobart Club hostel, was buried today in Holy Cross cemetery, Malden. The funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. James A. Donnelly of St. Gregory's Church, Jamestown. Chaplain Michael J. Murphy of the prison assisting.

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FOREIGN TRADE OF U. S. IS CUT

Nations at War Showing Ability to Get Into Export Business

Washington, Feb. 18.—American foreign trade falling off, in pursuance with the European policy to reduce imports to the limit of economic necessity, shows a decided slump in the export returns now being compiled by government experts.

Tentative figures for January reveal that the United States normal trade balances monthly will be sharply reduced. Treasury officials noted material increases in imports from abroad in the last semi-monthly period.

Reports to both the treasury and commerce departments indicate a moderate recovery by Europe in its ability to export goods. Great Britain is far in the lead, reports indicating that she is fast recuperating the industrial power she enjoyed before the war. A material increase is noted in her ability to ship a surplus of goods to all other countries, chiefly the United States.

France and Italy likewise show improvement in export relations, but this recovery thus far seems only partial.

In view of this situation, it was declared, American bankers generally are not making any considerable commitments in foreign exchange.

The Federal Reserve Board today stated that export houses fear they must reduce their trade or else finance their customers out of their own resources.

LAWRENCE MAN ADMITS THEFT IN AID OF FAMILY

Lawrence, Feb. 18.—Because he needed the money to help his family which was in destitute circumstances, George Dollar admitted in the District Court here that he used $135 of the money he should have turned in to a life insurance company for his own needs. Dollar had been employed as an agent for the company during the past month and had failed to turn in money collected, it was alleged. He stated that doctors' bills demanded the use of money. The court continued the case for sentence.

GERMAN REQUIRED IN SOME HARVARD COURSES

Candidates for certain bachelor degrees in the Harvard Engineering School must be able to read at sight French and German, and in some cases both. The faculty has just passed resolutions to this effect.

Men seeking sheepskins in mining and metallurgy are required to be able to read French, and advised to acquire a like knowledge of German.

COUNSEL SCORES WOMAN IN AUTO INJURY SUIT

Mrs. Josephine M. Horslin, who seeks to recover $500 from Charles M. Kimball and his son, R. Milton Kimball, both of South Acton, for auto injuries was termed an adventuress and one preying on a sick man by James E. O'Connell, counsel for the Kimballs, in his opening remarks to the jury in the Superior Court.

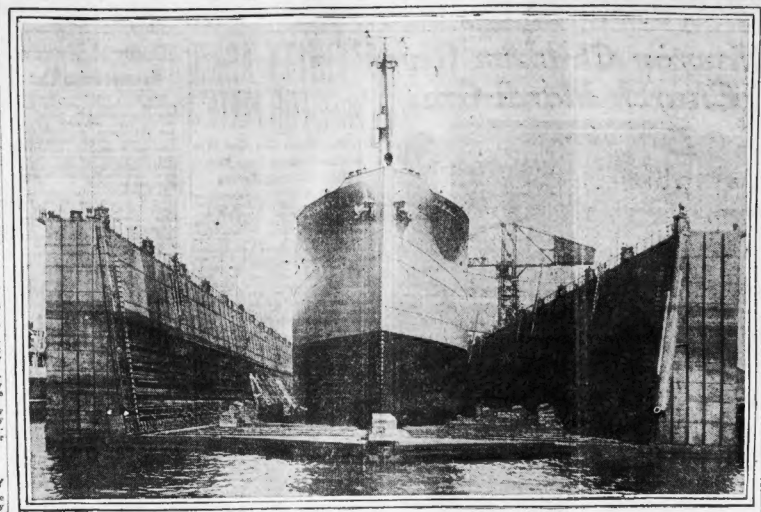
WILLIAM E. LALIME'S FUNERAL TODAY

William E. Lalime, for the past twelve years identified with the Ford Company and for the last two years a member of the firm of Lalime & Partridge, died suddenly at his home in Watertown Monday morning after a brief illness. He is survived by a wife. The funeral services were held today at the Mt. Auburn Chapel.

To Run for Mayor

Rockland, Me., Feb. 18. — Former City Treasurer John F. Stevens, an independent candidate in the Mayoralty campaign, has been nominated for the office by the Republicans of this city.

Type of Floating Drydock Being Built for Boston



A duplicate of this dock is under construction at Fore River. It has a capacity of 10,000 tons, raising a ship in half an hour.

A floating drydock with a capacity of 10,000 tons is being built at the Fore River Shipbuilding plant. The drydock is expected to facilitate repairs on ships and increase Boston's standing as a port. It is of the caisson type with the machinery operated by electricity from the shore.

ALLIES ANSWER WILSON'S NOTE

Another Crisis in Fiume and Italian Situation Develops in Washington

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In the closing of the peace terms, for the President has indicated that he does not feel that this nation can be bound to agreements which it had no part in making.

The President's memorandum has caused a sensation in European circles, according to unofficial advices, and officials of the State Department have been advised that it is regarded as one of the most serious crises that has confronted the allied leaders during their peace negotiations.

It is expected, however, that the council of premiers eventually will agree to the viewpoint of President Wilson and that he will be given an opportunity to ratify or reject for the United States those steps which have been taken without the consultation of this government.

WALLACE SENDS REPORT.

Ambassador Wallace is understood to have reported the proposed Adriatic settlement to this government and the State Department notified the council of premiers that the United States maintained its position on the Fiume question irrespective of the proposed new agreement. This notification evidently was not taken by the council of premiers as seriously as it should have been.

The report that the council of premiers at first drafted a strong reply to President Wilson and then redrafted their answer in terms less harsh is interpreted here as indicating that it is realized that the situation may bring about a serious crisis.

While the President's action has been officially disclaimed as a threat, the fact remains that he set forth specifically to the Allies the full consequences of any action taken on the Fiume matter without his knowledge or consent.

Reply to Wilson Will Explain Premiers' Stand

By International News Service.

London, Feb. 18.—The Allied premiers' reply to President Wilson's Adriatic protest, sent to Washington through the American embassy, was described today as a voluminous explanatory document. The reply covered seven pages and was said to have gone into a full and detailed explanation of the premiers' position.

The council of premiers is reported to maintain the opinion that a satisfactory settlement of the Jugo-Slav-Italian dispute over Fiume can still be reached. Premier Nitti of Italy was quoted by the Pall Mall Gazette as saying:

"We desire the best possible relations with America, but upon the question of today I cannot speak. The decisions reached by the Allies on January 20 place a definite imprint upon the Adriatic question."

TANK CAR OF WINE TAPPED ON WAY HERE

Springfield, Feb. 18.—A tank car of wine, thought to be en route from California to Boston, was broken into by railroad employes in the West Springfield freight yards of the Boston & Albany road. Several gallons of the contents of the tank were stolen.

The theft was committed while the car was tied up for repairs in the yards. It is now en route to Boston. In the absence of way bills the officials were not certain of its destination or purpose.

THREE PERISH IN HOTEL FIRE

One of the Victims at Providence May Be Former Springfield Soldier

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to the Rhode Island Hospital in a serious condition.

ORIGIN A MYSTERY.

The police began an investigation of the fire, which originated in mysterious fashion in room 83, occupied by Louis Perry, known in boxing circles as "Young Perry" of Bristol.

Perry was in the lobby when the blaze started on the fourth floor and swept through to the roof of the five-story building.

Coroner A. A. Munro has began an investigation. Questioning of Henry Smith, night watchman, brought out the fact that after 1 o'clock no more electricity is generated and gas is used for illuminating purposes.

William H. Matthewson, son of the tax collector of Johnston, with two other young men, went to the hotel after the theatre and occupied room 25. They escaped with scanty clothing. O. H. Lane, a lawyer of Rockland, Me., registered at the hotel in a room only two doors from the spot where the fire started. He left about midnight to visit a friend.

The hotel was conducted by J. V. Jordan.

The two top floors of the hotel were occupied exclusively by men with the exception of one room in which were a Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Boston. This couple were seen escaping down the stairs, with Mr. Adams carrying his wife's clothing.

According to Head Clerk A. G. Hyman, all the guests, with the exception of the four named, got away safely with their effects, the majority leaving town on early trains.

DIDN'T CLAIM PROPERTY.

The police stated that they had been unable to account for thirty, who are believed to have left without claiming their securities from the hotel safe.

Among these valuables was a watch inscribed: "Maryland Team Trophy. O. W. Wiley." Mr. Wiley was seen in the lobby after the fire started, according to the clerks.

The fire was said to have been discovered by a bellboy, who notified the night clerk. The hotel alarm was sounded, arousing the guests, who fled clad only in night clothing. When the firemen arrived the two upper floors were a mass of flames, into which it was impossible to penetrate.

By strenuous efforts the fire fighters managed to confine the blaze to these floors, but the water damage below was heavy. Many persons attempted to leap from windows in their excitement, but were prevented by firemen and employes.

The hotel registers were taken to police headquarters, where clerks and bellmen aided the police in checking the guests.

GRIP CLAIMS CHILD DAY AFTER MOTHER DIES

Lawrence, Feb. 18.—Marcella Akocuncos, aged five, was the second in the Akocuncos family to die inside of twenty-four hours, the mother of the little one having died the day before. Death in each instance was due to pneumonia. The funeral of the mother and child took place from the family home at No. 19 Highland street following services at St. Francis' Church.

Lexington Firemen Use Pungs

Lexington, Feb. 18.—The Lexington fire department is well equipped against fires during the traffic tieup. At both the Central and Massachusetts avenue fire stations, large pungs, with horses, have been provided to take the place of the motor apparatus.

A. O. H. to Give Play

Concord, Feb. 18.—Rehearsals are now being held for the annual dramatic production of Division 56, Ancient Order of Hibernians, in Monument Hall, St. Patrick's Day evening, March 17. "The Shamrock and Rose," a play in four acts, will be staged.

SUES BECAUSE OF ARREST

John Jefferies of Boston, Visitor to Senator Lodge, Jailed in Philadelphia

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fore midnight. His room at the hotel was very warm, and he decided a walk would help him to sleep. He walked up Broad street to Walnut. Turning east on Walnut street, he stopped to look in shop windows.

Encountering Policeman Savage near Thirteenth street, he was told to move on. Mr. Jeffries walked back to Broad street again and sat on the south side of Walnut. While he was looking in a window east of Twelfth street, he says, Savage arrested him.

Several persons witnessed Mr. Jefferies' arrest. He says Savage refused to allow him to obtain their names, and he has instructed Mr. Roach to advertise in the hope that the men and women who saw the arrest may testify as to the circumstances.

According to Mr. Roach, Mr. Jefferies says at least five women and as many men standing on the corner were insulted by Patrolman Savage when they attempted to give their names to him. Mr. Jefferies asserted Savage told the people to get off the way and not to interfere with the law while he was ringing for the patrol wagon, emphasizing his remarks with profanity.

MORE "RED" HEARINGS BEING HELD TODAY

Evidence against the alleged radicals rounded up January 2 and sent to Deer Island was presented by the government today, when cases were reopened at the immigration station, following preliminary hearings which recently concluded. Some of the prisoners will be released because evidence is not strong.

Findings in connection with the cases are to be submitted to the department of labor at Washington.

ARREST NEPHEW OF MRS. CARTER HARRISON

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 18.—Harry Bryan Owsley, formerly an attache of the American diplomatic corps at Constantinople, and the nephew of Mrs. Carter H. Harrison, wife of a former mayor of Chicago, was arrested here charged with jumping a $1,500 hotel bill in Omaha, Neb. He was a stockbroker there. Owsley's marriage in 1913 to Mrs. Josephine H. Sampson, British authoress, who writes under the pen name of "Hildrie Davenport," was a social event in Stamford, Conn.

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BALL AT NEWPORT FOR BENEFIT OF SEAMEN

Newport, R. I., Feb. 18.—The Mardi Gras fancy dress ball and pageant held at the American Legion home by members of the social colony with the members of the Army and Navy set for the benefit of the Seaman's Institute, was a success. Mrs. Reginald Norman was queen of the ball.

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ESCAPED PATIENT KILLED BY EXPOSURE

North Adams, Feb. 18.—Following his escape from the North Adams Hospital while in a delirious condition and after wandering around partially clothed in nearby hills, Angelo Casalo, an influenza patient, is dead. He was brought back to the hospital, but exposure is believed to have hastened his death. He was thirty-one years of age.

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DISPUTE MAY BE SYMPHONY'S END

Majority of Players Demand Raise in Pay; Some Have Joined Union

The Boston Symphony Orchestra, the most famous organization of its kind in the world, is threatened with disruption because of dissatisfaction on the part of a majority of the players, it was learned today.

While increase demands, the revival of the feud with the Musical Union, and offers said to have been received to play in other orchestras were named as disputed points.

It is understood that eighty-one members of the orchestra asked for a raise of $1,000 a year, or a little less than $20 a week, claiming that their average wage is about $35.

Junius Frederick F. Cabot, president and the trustees of the Symphony refuse to treat with the men as a body, and the advance has not been granted.

Thirty musicians have further signed applications to the Musical Union, it was stated, and paid fees of $25 for entrance, which was a violation of the policy of the late Major Henry L. Higginson. It is said that the trustees hold the same opinion, that no man can be a member of the Symphony and the Musical Union at the same time.

In a recent address Judge Cabot is reported as having told members of the orchestra that the existing guaranteeing fund for the Symphony of $2,000,000 could not be drawn upon to pay more wages. Furthermore, he is reported as saying that this was the only source from which wage increases could come without simply incurring additional deficits.

The suggestion that the price of tickets be increased was met by the statement that the greater number of seats are sold at a certain scale at the beginning of the season.

WORCESTER FREIGHT TIED UP FOR WEEKS

Worcester, Feb. 18.—It will be weeks before freight movements to and from Worcester will be normal, it was stated today by officials at the local freight yards. The freight houses are closed and no freight is being received. The entire force of freight handlers, yard employes and clerks are at work trying to free icebound cars which clog the yards.

LEGAL AID SOCIETY APPEALS FOR FUNDS

An appeal for funds is being sent out by the Boston Legal Aid Society to further its service to persons unable to pay for such assistance. A considerable part of the society's work is in aiding poor people who have fallen into the hands of loan sharks.

CHARGE BIGAMY TO BAUMGARTEN

Hub Man Held, Wife Bailed at Extradition Trial for Auto Theft

Montreal, Que., Feb. 18.—Turned from his weeping bride, David L. Baumgarten, Jr., of Boston, was held at the conclusion of the preliminaries of his extradition case, while his wife, who is also charged with the theft of a $6,0000 automobile from John E. David of Watertown, Mass., was freed on $5,000 bail, provided by a sympathetic Montrealer.

David produced documentary evidence to establish that he had bought the car from the Baumgartens and paid for it by instalments, which were completed a year ago. It had never been delivered, and he believes they had driven it out of Boston for Montreal.

Edgar L. Ryerson, a Boston lawyer, represented David. The defense contested the extradition application, and contended that the car was an issue in a Cincinnati case. To meet their contention a delay was granted until Friday, by which time a Cincinnati lawyer will be here.

Advices reaching the police from Boston are to the effect that Baumgarten is wanted in Cincinnati on a bigamy charge and that both the accused are involved in fraud on hospitals through a fake advertising scheme operated in many American cities.

COMMUNITY PAGEANT TO BE GIVEN ON SUNDAY

A community pageant, "America the Land of Patriot Dreams," will be presented Sunday night in Union Congregational Church. About 250 will participate, many of whom are students in Boston colleges. The pageant was written by Dr. Mary Alice Emerson of Boston University, the coach.

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WHO'S WHO ON BOSTON'S NEW POLICE FORCE

RUDOLPH L. TRENT.

Rudolph L. Trent, following a year spent with the Red Hand Division in France, was appointed as a member of Boston's new police force and assigned to duty at Station No. 5, Dudley street, Roxbury. He is twenty-two years of age and single. Trent covers route No. 1 at Uphams Corner during the day. On July 13, 1917, Trent joined L. Company, Sixth Regiment of the Massachusetts Infantry, and was later mustered into the 372d, which was of the Red Hand Division. He was gassed September 27 on the Champagne sector. During the war he participated in the engagements at Argonne, Verdun, Almee the Vosges Mountains and the Champagne secor. Prior to the war he was a rubber moulder

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NEW PLANE RISES VERTICALLY

Peter Cooper Hewitt Invents "Sky Jitney" to Sell at Moderate Cost

Paris, Feb. 18.—Peter Cooper Hewitt, the New York electrical expert and inventor, announces that he has perfected a grotesque airplane capable of rising vertically from the ground and making a landing within a space of a hundred feet by means of two consentric propellers rotating in opposite directions, thus solving a problem on which aviation experts have been working for several years. The cost of this wireless plane, or "air jitney," the inventor says, will be so low as to make it a formidable competitor of cheap automobiles when it is put on the market in the near future.

It is expected to go a long way in solving the tragic problem in large cities, as one may be owned by every man who can find space to park it, which will be a simple matter, because of its small dimension—it will be less than four feet in diameter.

The machine will be almost invaluable for use on board battleships, in the coast defences service and also in the transportation of food.

Another invention announced by Mr. Hewitt is a sensitive vacuum tube with which the presence of submarines may be detected from a considerable distance.

Named Butler Conservator

Edmund K. Arnold of Boston has been appointed as conservator of the property of Julia Butler of Lexington. The property is valued at $6,000.

Cocoanut Oil Makes A Splendid Shampoo

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and entirely greaseless) is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

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You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.—Advertisement.

ALLEGED WHISKEY SMUGGLERS HELD

North Adams, Feb. 18.—At the conclusion of the examination before United States Commissioner H. B. Gilliland at Plattsburg, N. Y., Dolphus Danault of this city and Wilfred Gosselin of Lacolle, Can., who were arrested here last week on charges involving the transportation of Canadian whiskey from Canada to this city, were held under $500 bonds each for appearance before the United States District Court at Albany, N. Y.

SUFFRAGISTS DISAGREE OVER VOTERS' LEAGUE

Chicago, Feb. 18.—First disagreement in the ranks of suffragists over the new League of Woman Voters, organized at the suffrage victory convention here to supplant the National American Woman's Suffrage Association, has occurred. A number of Democratic and Republican delegates to the convention joined in expressing their disapproval at the league generally, contending that it is "unnecessary."

BAY STATE LEGION BACKS $50 BOND BILL

The Massachusetts Department of the American Legion has come out squarely for the $50 bond measure for each month of service. A general bulletin has been placed in the mails recommending that each post immediately communicate with its United States Senators and Congressmen, urging action on the resolution passed by the national executive committee on the question of adjusted compensation on a basis of a $50 bond per month of service.

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Forged Steel Shears, pair — High grade, nickel or japan handle, size 6 and 7 inch. — $1 — Street Floor

Window Shades, 2 for — Good selection of prints mounted on spring rollers, subject to imperfections. No mail or phone orders. — $1 — Fourth Floor

White Cotton Net, yard — Fine quality, 2 yards wide. — $1 — Street Floor

Granite Cloths and Poplins, yard — 36 inches wide, all strong, firm weave, suitable for ladies' dresses and suits. — $1 — Street Floor

Novelty Plaids, yard — 36 inches wide, desirable colors and patterns, for skirts and children's dresses. — $1 — Street Floor

Silk Poplin, yard — 36 inches wide, superior weave and durable, all the leading colors, including black and white. — $1 — Street Floor

Linen Torchon Lace, 5 yards for — 18 inches wide, embroidered on fine nainsook, both fine and openwork patterns. — $1 — Street Floor

Corset Cover and Dress Flouncing, 2 yards for — 18 inches wide, embroidered on fine nainsook, both fine and openwork patterns. — $1 — Street Floor

Pro-Lino Floorloeum, 2 square yards for — Two yards wide, excellent choice of patterns, one day only, value 75c. — $1 — Fourth Floor

Women's Extra Size Vests, 3 for — Fine ribbed, V-shaped neck, sizes 7, 8 and 9. — $1 — Street Floor

Women's Underwear, 2 garments for — Fancy vests with lace and embroidery yokes, sizes 7, 8 and 9; also knee length pants, umbrella style, sizes 4, 5 and 6. Garment 59c. — $1 — Street Floor

Women's Union Suits, garment — Pure, fine grade, low neck, sleeveless, with knee cuffs; finished with a band top, sizes 34 to 44. — $1 — Street Floor

Scrim Dutch Curtains — Sheer quality, with band edge, finished with tie backs, 3 pieces. Set — $1 — Fourth Floor

Boys' Blouses 4 for — Regular and sport styles, sizes 6 to 14 years only; limit 4 to a customer. No mail orders. — $1 — Third Floor

Bread Raisers — Made of tin, tinted bottom, has dome ventilated cover, 14-quart size. No mail or phone orders. — $1 — Basement

Wash Combinations — Consisting of a sanitary perforated wash board, of the best quality clothes pins and 50 feet of fine quality Manila clothes line, only 144 sets in the lot. No mail or phone orders. Complete — $1 — Basement

Felt Slippers Pair — For men and women, mixed lot. No mail orders. — $1 — Street Floor—Rear

Children's Shoes — Button and lace, sizes up to 11. No mail orders. Pair — $1 — Street Floor—Rear

Men's Ipswich Socks 5 Pairs for — A limited quantity for Thursday, color black, sizes 10 to 12. No phone or C. O. D. orders — $1 — Street Floor

Men's Work Shirts — Made with soft collar attached, color blue or gray, sizes 14½ to 17. Not all sizes in this lot. No mail or phone orders or C.O.D. orders. Each — $1 — Street Floor

Rug Border, 2 yards for — To surround your rug with, 2 feet wide, looks just like hardwood flooring, value 89c, one day only. — $1 — Fourth Floor

Lingerie Blouses — An assorted lot of 12 different styles, made of good voiles, neatly trimmed with lace, self tucking and hemstitching. Ea. — $1 — Third Floor

9-Piece Household Sets — Comprising 4 different size mixing bowls, 1 pint pitcher, 1 salt box, 1 covered butter jar with wire bail handle, blue bristol embossed designs; useful for all household purposes; only 100 sets at — $1 — Basement

Khaki Bungalow Aprons — Belted and elastic waist bands, trimmed with plain and plaid materials. Each — $1 — Third Floor

12-Piece Cooking Combinations — Comprising 1 brown and white lined cooker for casserole, 6 brown and white lined custard cups for baking and serving, also 1 blue and white nappie set, 3 different sizes; very useful and practical. — $1 — Basement

Covered Kettles — First quality gray enamel with white lion, trimmed with enamel to match, 8-quart size, wood handle on bail; only 108 in the lot. No Mail or Phone Orders — $1 — Basement

Clothes Baskets — Close woven oval willow clothes baskets, small size; only 144 in the lot. — $1 — Basement

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12 Cakes Palmolive Soap — Limit 12 cakes to a customer. No mail or phone orders. For — $1 — Drug Dept., Second Floor

Lazell's Honeysuckle Face Powder — Jar of Honeysuckle Cream, One Wool Powder Puff. — $1 — Drug Dept., Second Floor

Forged Steel Sewing Scissors, pair — High grade, assorted sizes. — $1 — Street Floor

Curtain Scrim, 4 yards for — Fine, soft finish, in white, cream and ecru, with open-work borders. — $1 — Fourth Floor

Toilet Paper, 17 flat packages for — $1 — Drug Dept., Second Floor

Maine Style Corn, 7 cans for — Sweet and tender. — $1 — Grocery Dept., Second Floor

Women's Felt Lace Boots, pair — With leather soles, small sizes. No mail orders. — $1 — Street Floor—Rear

Men's Shirts and Drawers, garment — Medium or heavy weight, color gray, sizes 34 to 44. — $1 — Street Floor

JIMMY WILDE QUITS OUT OF BOSTON BOUT WITH YOUNG DYSON

AFRAID TO FIGHT FOR DECISION

British Champion Is Given Tip That Dyson Is Kayo Puncher

By JACK CONWAY.

Jimmy Wilde, self-confessed British flyweight champion, has quit cold out of his twelve-round decision bout with Bobby Dyson of New Bedford, which was scheduled to be decided in this city next month under the direction of the Armory A. A.

The man who boasts he can beat any boxer in the world who will make 116 pounds for a match was apparently afraid Dyson would knock him out or at least get the decision.

Wilde at first consented to come to Boston and it was virtually agreed that Dyson should be his opponent. The weight for the tussle was to be 118 pounds, which is a notch at which the British champion has claimed he would meet all challengers.

Jack Leonard, Dyson's manager, agreed to have his protege make the required weight. Then somebody wrecked the New England boy's chance of kayoing the British fighter. Wilde was tipped that Dyson was a southpaw and could punch. He was informed that Bobby had either knocked out or won decisions over every boxer of his weight in the East who would enter a ring with him. Among them were some of the best little men in the country.

Wilde, however, had a plan for evading the issues. He asked that Dyson do 116 pounds at 9 o'clock instead of at 5 o'clock. He figured this poundage would be too low for the New Bedford favorite. Leonard put Wilde on the defensive once more when he said Dyson would make 116 pounds at 9 o'clock.

Then Wilde pulled his master crawl stroke. He demanded that the match be only ten rounds and that no decision be rendered and that Dyson weigh in at ringtime at 116 pounds with gloves, tights, shoes and bandages on. The club naturally tossed the match overboard, as Boston fans don't want no-decision bouts. Dyson would also not grant Wilde's demands, as they would virtually require him to scale at 112 pounds.

DYSON TO BOX MOORE.

Wilde may now be admitted to select American pugilistic circles. But our own champions he won't fight a real rival for a decision.

Instead of Wilde, Dyson will have Memphis Pal Moore as an opponent in a bout at Mechanics Building on March 2 under the direction of the Armory A. A. Moore has met Wilde twice. He won the first bout and lost on decision in the second encounter. Moore has a Boston victory to his credit over Frankie (Tramp) Britt, while on another occasion he battled to a draw with the New England lightweight champion.

Eyesight Is Good :-: :-: *By TAD*

PHEW!!
NO-I DIDN'T GET THE NUMBER OF THE CAR JUDGE IT GOT BY ME TOO FAST
YOU'RE NOT BLIND ARE YOU?
NO SIR- I'LL SAY THAT THE SAME DRIVING WAS SOME SWEET PATOOTIE THOUGH
WASN'T SHE?

DAVID I. WALSH CLUB TO ENTERTAIN RUTH

Babe Ruth night will be observed tomorrow night at the Hotel Brunswick by the David I. Walsh Collegiate Club of Boston.

The invitation list includes the names of Senator Walsh, Mayor Andrew J. Peters, Major Thomas L. Walsh, Congressmen Tinkham and Gallivan, District-Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier, Billy Murray, Eddie Casey, Governor Calvin Coolidge, Lieutenant-Governor Channing Cox, Joseph Warner, Colonel William A. Gaston, Sheriff Keliher, Edwin U. Curtis, General C. R. Edwards, General Cole, Rear-Admiral Robinson and Read-Admiral Dunne.

JOE WELSH DEFEATS AL WATERS ON POINTS

Joe Welsh of East Boston and Al Waters of the South End furnished the feature event in a special bout in the 125-pound class at St. Thomas Catholic Club, Jamaica Plain. The fighting was close enough in the first three rounds for the judges to disagree. In the extra round Welsh outpointed his opponent with his left jabs.

Johnny Lynch of Roxbury defeated Joe Tapa of East Boston in the final bout in the 115-pound class, and Pat Kelly of South Boston won the 125-pound class, defeating Mike Margett in three rounds.

BAY STATE HORSEMEN ADOPT SCHEDULE

Bay State horsemen met at the American House and adopted this schedule for the 1920 season:

June 14-18, Medford; 21-25, Woonsocket, R. I.; 28-30, Cherry Valley, 24, July 2, Windsor, Ct.

July 5-9, Springfield; 12-16, Northampton; 19-23, Greenfield; 26-30, Woonsocket, R. I.

Aug. 2, Medford; 9-13, Boston; 16-20, Springfield; 30, Sept. 3, Worcester.

BIDDELL STARS AT BROOKLINE SWIM

Sidney Biddell of the Brookline Swimming Club won the 100-yard open event in the swimming meet at the Brookline municipal baths conducted by the Brookline Gymnasium Athletic Association. The events were in charge of J. F. McCullough and R. J. Kennealy.

NORWICH UNIVERSITY TO HOLD WINTER SPORTS

Northfield, Vt., Jan. 18.—Norwich University will conduct its annual Winter carnival February 27, 28 and 29, with a long program of sporting fun stretched over the three days.

24 PITCHERS OUT AT HARVARD

Thirty Battery Candidates in All Report to Coach Slattery at Baseball Cage

Thirty battery men, of whom twenty-four are pitchers, have reported to Coach Jack Slattery of Harvard. Among these are Babe Felton, Tubby Clark and Bubbles Haxtemeyer of the varsity football team. Felton was a member of last Spring's nine. Clark is anxious to make his baseball "H" and become the first four-letter man at Cambridge.

Other pitchers after jobs are Freddy Rullard, Doc Newton, Everett Hardell, Chick Butterfield, Carl Harrison, Bill Rice and Doc Crockett, a pair of sweet southpaws. Eddie Goode and Harlan Russell, Cathers are Austin Blair, Tom Gammack, Bob Lancaster, Jerry Murphy and Johnnie Scott.

ENGLISH AND LATIN SEVENS TO BATTLE

English High and Latin School meet in their annual hockey game tomorrow at the Ice Pavilion. Neither team has had much success on the ice this year, but should stage an interesting game when they oppose each other.

HARVARD CONQUERS TECH SWORDSMEN

Harvard toppled Tech with the fencing foils, eight bouts to one. Captain Snow was the shining light with the rapiers and won the only dueling swords bout, vanquishing Reveeca of Tech.

Harvard Gym Schedule

Harvard's gym team schedule: Feb. 18, exhibition at Cambridge Y. M. C. A.; 28, exhibition at B. A. A.; March 6, exhibition at Exeter; 8, M. I. T. and Princeton at M. I. T.; 13, Dartmouth at Cambridge; 19, Yale at New Haven; 26, Intercollegiates at Haverford.

COLLYER'S *SELECTIONS*

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Joe Tag, Repeat, Auntie May.
2—Kultur, Poultney, Oaico.
3—Capital City, Corneville, Alheon.
4—George Starr, Ultra Gold, I Win.
5—Crystal Ford, Solomon Entry, Franklin.
6—Lady in Black, A. N. Akin, Portlight.
7—Golden Dawn, Nepperhan, Marauder.

N. Y. JOURNAL SELECTIONS

1—Joe Tag, Morning Face, Tutt.
2—Miss Jessa, Bounding Through, M. Bert Thurman.
3—Cornevlle, Capital City, Charmlan.
4—George Starr, Marmite, Ultra Gold.
5—Lively, Merchant, Piedra.
6—Portlight, A. N. Akin, Edith K.
7—Diocesade, Golden Dawn, Tanlac.

CONSENSUS OF OPINION.

1—Joe Tag, Repeat, Morning Face.
2—Miss Jessa, Poultney, Oaico.
3—Capital City, Cornevlle, J. C. Stone.
4—George Starr, Ultra Gold, Arrow Head.
5—Lively, Piedra, Crystal Ford.
6—Bobby Allen, Portlight, Sweet Liberty.
7—Nepperhan, Golden Dawn, Diocoride.

AT HAVANA.

1 — Bonstelle, Plain Heather, Lucy May.
2—Mary's Magneto, Precious Jewel, Manganese.
3—Little Nephew, First Pullet, Lady Ivan.
4—Col. Taylor, Thrown Entry, Basil.
5—Egmont, Uzan, Ralph S.
6 — Dick Williams, Crystal Day, Sellapark.

"TWO AND THREE" "PUTTING THE NEXT ONE OVER" WITH "DUGS" DAER

THE next Cabinet will be unionized like the underwear you see advertised in the street cars. They will demand an eight-hour President. The last eight-hour President we had was Judge Hughes.

IN the future all Cabinet members will have to pass the civil service examination. This will do away with the hiring and firing of members who were weighed and found Republican. There should be a law against canning a Secretary just as he accepts his job and has the swivel chair adjusted to his right height sitting down.

IN the old days the retiring Secretary used to hand his successor his portfolio. Now they hand each other timetables. It ain't no Cabinet! It's an employment bureau.

THE President has explained why he gave Lansing the works. But the explanation is something like a no-tipping sign in a barber shop. It doesn't mean anything. Official Washington doesn't know the real reason for the shindig, but they understand that Henry Cabot Lodge was observed dropping raisins in the White House toothpaste.

ANOTHER version is that a gent about the size of Lansing was spotted talking with a United States Senator. That's enough to get anybody fired in Washington this administration.

ABOUT six dozen assorted sizes and shapes of Cabinet members have been given the air. It's the first year that the White House hat checking privileges have paid a dividend.

WHEN a prominent politician gets appointed to the Cabinet now, all the reporters wheel up and take his post-mortem statement containing his reason for the rush act. Still, in spite of the transmission troubles, this has been a great Administration. Here are a few of the diplomatic triumphs:

The European war is over. For Europe.

The U. S. is a land flowing with milk and honey. Which would be all right if it weren't all wrong. The weather is damp enough without adding milk and honey to it.

We're one note ahead of Mexico.

The zone system is being used on street cars. They're heated by the Arctic zone system.

The flu can be cured outside of the three-mile limit. When it gets closer than that the victim breaks out in a rash of decimal points and is a kippered herring.

Apartments are so small in Roxbury that the paperhangers don't use any glue on the wallpaper. They put the paper on the east wall and the west wall holds it in place.

Telephone calls are still a jitney, which is only about sixty cents a number, if you get it.

Yon can get soda crackers all the year round.

Landlords must notify you fifty years in advance of any decrease in the rent.

GRANT IS AFTER NEW MATERIAL

Braves President Admits Regular Ball Players are Hard to Get But Has Hopes

If promises were pennants there would be a nail-Boston world's series this Fall.

Just not it is President Grant of the Braves who is doing the promising. Frazee had his innings in December and last month, but has as yet failed to score.

Among other things that Grant contemplates doing is getting a few real stars for the Braves. He very wisely qualifies his engagement to bolster the Boston National team by remarking that real stars are hard to get.

So they have been for many seasons, except when a Boston club was selling. Then they have been easy enough to acquire, as some managers in both the American and National leagues could testify.

There is one bit of cheer in President Grant's remarks—the Rabbit is to stay. So is Manager Stallings. All of which helps, though it does not necessarily mean that the Braves are going to be contenders or even will finish in the first division.

Corbett to Meet Ginsberg

Willie Corbett and his old rival, Harry Ginsberg, are scheduled for one of the all-star bout at the Suffolk A. A. next Wednesday night.

Wilson Is Ready to Battle Robinson

Here are a few stirring lines from Marty Killilea, manager of Johnny Wilson:

"Jack Conway, Boston American, "Friend Jack—A comeback to Jim McDonald's article in the American in which he says that Johnny Wilson should first defeat George Robinson before fighting Mike O'Dowd. You notice Jim didn't say a word about the fight at Bangor, Me., last July in which Wilson knocked Robinson down and out and out. McDonald says that Wilson isn't the middleweight champion of New England. Well, Jack, I would like you to state that Wilson will fight Robinson for the title, both men to weigh 158 pounds and put up $500 to bind the weight and agree to act a side bet.

"I want to hear from McDonald at once and we will put the boat on. And when they do Bert Wilson will knock Robinson out."

THIRTY DARTMOUTH BASEBALL MEN OUT

Hanover, N. H., Feb. 18.—More than thirty candidates were out at the first practice of the Dartmouth baseball squad. The chief task facing Captain Merritt is to develop a pitcher to replace Cuddy Murphy, who has signed with the Red Sox.

Harvard-Amherst Swim

Harvard swimmers at Amherst in the Boston "Y" pool late today. The Crimson mermen have already shown their spray to Springfield and Williams, and expect to leave the Amherst natators well in their wake.

Second Win for St. John's

Danvers, Feb. 18.—For the second time this season the St. John's Prep hockey team defeated Danvers High, the score being 6 to 0.

CHANGES VOTED AT ALBEMARLE

Clubhouse to be Enlarged and Course Improved—Dues Are Increased

By ROBERT E. HARLOW.

A number of changes will be made to improve the course of the Albemarle Golf Club in West Newton, and the clubhouse will be enlarged, if reports made at the annual meeting meet with favor. It was voted to raise the dues of active members from $35 to $50.

John L. McKeon, for the greens committee, advised that an architect be engaged to improve the holes, and that the club obtain a professional. The committee recommended that the tees be rebuilt. The house committee advised that an addition to the club house contain a professional's shop.

Conference With Directors Before Acting

Action upon the reports will be taken by the 1920 committees after conferences with the board of directors. It is likely that many of the recommendations will be put through, as the treasury has $1,591 and a reserve fund of $2,597.

There was no serious objections to an increase in the dues, although Joe Farren created interest when he advised that some other method than a direct raise of dues be resorted to as a means of combating the financial influenza. Joe's scheme did not meet with general aproval, and when a vote was taken, Joe was the only member dissenting.

Treasurer Reports All Money Collected

William Blanchard, treasurer, reported that every dollar owed to the club had been collected, and urged the members to keep up the good work. Secretary H. C. Bohr reported the membership was 164.

P. J. Fessenden, vice-president, presided. He read a letter from President C. F. Avery, who was confined to his home by illness. President Avery expressed gratification at the results obtained in 1919, and congratulated the committees.

Officers for 1920 elected were: William S. Osborn, treasurer; Clinton H. Willey, secretary; directors, P. J. Fessenden, C. F. Avery, H. J. Nichols, Dr. H. O. Hunt, L. C. Doyle, Dr. E. J. Neally, John L. McKeon, H. F. Austen, W. N. Shelton and C. H. Simons.

WEST ROXBURY PICKED TO WIN TRACK MEET

The triangular meet at the East Armory tomorrow between West Roxbury, Mechanic Arts and the Boston Trade School should turn out to be a close and interesting affair. Although the schools are not represented by stellar track teams, they are pretty evenly matched and should stage a good meet. West Roxbury is the favorite, and Mechanic seems to be the next best. Coach Keefe of West Roxbury has some good runners in Al Rowen in the dash, Royce in the 600, Cooney in the 1,000 and run and Merton and Lydon in the 300-yard run.

JUNIOR FIVE WINS IN HARVARD BASKETBALL

The Juniors defeated the sophomores in the interclass basketball series at Harvard by the score of 25 to 20. Chase, right forward for the victors, caged five shots from the floor and helped in three free tries. The freshman team meets Andover this afternoon at Homenway gym, the referee's whistle tooting for the start off at 4 o'clock.

DARTMOUTH BOWS TO ST. PAUL SEVEN

Concord, N. H., Feb. 18.—The undefeated St. Paul's School hockey team won its third game of the season by defeating the Dartmouth varsity, 4 to 0.

TOSS IN TOWEL FOR LEONARD

Kid Brown of Philadelphia Far Too Good for Local Boy at Triple A

The towel was thrown into the ring at the Armory A. A. in the seventh round of the bout between Harry Kid Brown of Philadelphia and Louis Leonard of this city by one of Leonard's seconds.

The attendant saw that Benny was in a fair way to be wrecked by the visitor, so he tossed in the token of complete surrender. There was no armistice about it, for Brown started a drive that had Leonard on the run, and it was only a question of time when it would result in the complete annihilation of Louis.

Some good fighting was seen in the preliminary bouts. Young Gould of Brockton demonstrated that Harry Ah Chung, the Salem boy, was no match for him and he won in the third round. Ah Chung claimed that he had been hit low, but the referee did not agree with him and the verdict went to Gould.

Red McNeil carried too many guns for Young Stone, and as a result two rounds were sufficient for the latter. Little Benny had the better of Harry Forbes and he won in two rounds.

First America Cup Race, July 15

New York, Feb. 18.—The first race for the America Cup will be held off Sandy Hook July 15, and races will be held on each second day thereafter, Sundays excluded. This was decided when the New York Yacht Club formally accepted the challenge of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club of Belfast, Ire., made on behalf of Sir Thomas Lipton, whose Shamrock IV is the challenging yacht. The defending yacht will be decided by a series of trial races between the Resolute and the Vanilie.

WORCESTER COUNCIL OUT FOR LEGALIZED BOXING

Worcester, Feb. 18.—Worcester's city council has gone on record in favor of legalized boxing in Massachusetts and has authorized and instructed City Solicitor John W. Mawbey to appear before the legislative committee on legal affairs in support of bills to this effect.

GREENOUGH AND HUTCHINS VICTORS

Constantine Hutchins of the Tennis and Racquet Club defeated M. Bradlee of Harvard and H. V. Greenough of the Harvard Club put out G. B. Hayward, also of the Harvard Club, in the fourth round of the Massachusetts State squash racquets tournament in progress at the B. A. A.

RIVAL MATMEN RESTING UP

Ketonen and Kilonis at Weight and on Edge—Yokel to Wrestle Sanders

Waino Ketonen and John Kilonis are resting for their middleweight championship battle in Mechanics Building tomorrow night. Both men have already been weighed on certified scales and each has shown that the matter of weight is the least of their troubles. Both are in great shape. Kilonis especially so on account of his layoff, which has brought him back to probably what is the best form he has ever shown in this city.

Mike Yokel, who is again after the world's title, will meet Cyclone Sanders in the other number and if successful will personally challenge the winner of the main event.

The advance sale indicates another big attendance.

McTAGUE OUTCLASSES McDONALD AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 18.—Mike McTague of New York outclassed Roddie McDonald, who took the count of nine three times in both the second and eighth rounds. McDonald staged a come-back, but in the eleventh lost on a foul.

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Size 34 regular	1	2	1	3	..	8	1	..
Size 34 short	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Size 35 regular	1	3	2	5	..	12	8	2
Size 35 short	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Size 36 regular	..	1	3	9	1	20	12	1
Size 36 long	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..
Size 36 short	..	..	2	4	..	3	2	..
Size 37 regular	..	1	1	18	..	14	16	..
Size 37 long	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..
Size 37 short	..	2	3	2	1	3	2	..
Size 38 regular	..	2	5	6	..	14	3	..
Size 38 long	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..
Size 38 short	..	..	..	4	..	3	1	..
Size 38 stout	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Size 39 regular	..	..	2	8	..	7	3	1
Size 39 short	..	..	1	2	..	2	1	..
Size 39 stout	..	2	2	1	1	2	1	..
Size 40 regular	1	1	7	13	..	14	8	..
Size 40 long	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..
Size 40 short	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Size 40 stout	2	..	2	2	1	1	..	..
Size 42 regular	1	2	4	5	2	7	2	1
Size 42 short	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..
Size 42 stout	1	1	3	3	..	2	2	..
Size 44 regular	..	..	1	1	1	1	2	..
Size 44 stout	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Size 46 regular	..	3	1	..	..	1	2	..
Size 46 stout	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Also a few suits at higher prices; also overcoats and ulsters at corresponding savings (call and see if your size is here).

MEN'S 60 pairs black kid and 26 pairs black calf at $7; 25 pairs CORDOVAN, $7.75 75 pairs black kid, $8.50 OXFORD SHOES (NOT ALL SIZES)

ROXBURY MAN ADMITS STEALING FROM EXPRESS

Pleading guilty to receiving stolen goods, in a case involving thousands of dollars worth of express thefts, Walter De Grana of Dudley street, Roxbury, was today held in $1,000 in the municipal court for a continuance next Tuesday. Two South Station express employes are also under arrest. The thefts, said to have been going on for a year, involve between $8,000 and $10,000.

CONTEST WILL LEAVING ALL TO DIVORCED WIFE

An interesting question is raised over the will of Seth P. Snow, real estate broker, of No. 5 Newbury street, who died September 5, 1919. The will, made in 1908, left his entire estate to his wife, Florence Josephine Snow, now of No. 85 St. Botolph street. In 1917 Snow obtained a divorce, but made no change in his will. It is claimed his former wife is not entitled to share his property, and that it should go to his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Snow of Medford, and his brothers and sisters.

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Clemenceau's Foe Succeeds M. Poincare as President of French Republic

By International News Service.

Paris, Feb. 18.—Paul Deschanel, for many years president of the Chamber of Deputies and long the political foe of former Premier Clemenceau, assumed the presidency of France today, succeeding Raymond Poincare.

President Deschanel was elected on January 17. He will serve seven years.

Simple ceremonies marked the retirement of M. Poincare and the inauguration of the new President. Crowds lined the boulevards about the presidential residence and cheered M. Deschanel and M. Poincare.

The official party was escorted to the Hotel de Ville (City Hall), where the new President was received by the head of the Municipal Council and the living ex-Presidents of the republic. M. Deschanel and M. Poincare then returned to the latter's new home, where they conversed privately for a short while. After the conference the President returned to the Elysee Palace.

Ex-President Poincare plans to take up his senatorial duties at once.

In accordance with French custom, Premier Millerand submitted the resignations of the ministry to M. Deschanel. The new President refused to accept them, asking the Cabinet to remain in office.

CARL RANDALL SPURNS CUPID'S 'BALL AND CHAIN'

Paris, Feb. 18.—Carl Randall, the famous stage dancer, who has been filling an engagement in Paris, today denied a report that he will immediately leave the stage to marry into a wealthy English family.

"No girl—not even a wealthy, titled English girl—could put the ball and chain of matrimony upon me," declared Randall.

STRAYED LAMBS ARE RETURNED TO HOME

Leslie and Sidney Lamb, 12, and 13 years old, respectively, were returned to their sister, Mrs. Lillian Shepard of Knapp street, Somerville, today, by the Salem police, who found the boys wandering about the city.

'Apology' by City Club to the Cardinal

When an invited speaker at the Boston City Club goes beyond the bound of fair and legitimate criticism in his address, or indulges in personal criticism of a member, it is a matter of regret to the board of governors.

In a resolution adopted unanimously by the board, members see an indirect apology to Cardinal O'Connell for the criticisms made of him by John R. Rathom of Providence in Mr. Rathom's address at the City Club January 29.

Mr. Rathom's charge (since denied) that Cardinal O'Connell had approved Ancient Order of Hibernians resolutions in 1916 offering sympathy to German-American citizens, was made the subject of an editorial by the Pilot, the official organ of the archdiocese, which intimated the propriety of the City Club sending an apology for Mr. Rathom's attack to the Cardinal.

The resolution read:

"It is the established custom of the Boston City Club to open its doors to speakers representing all shades of thought and opinion. For the utterances of these speakers the club assumes no responsibility. The club relies on the knowledge by its members of its broad objects and purposes to prevent anything said creating misunderstanding or giving offence. If, as occasionally happens, a statement made goes beyond the bounds of fair and legitimate criticism, that is a matter of regret to the club, as it should be to all good citizens. Any personal criticism of a member is practically to be regretted."

YANKEES BRAVE SAYS PRINCE

Writes Book on War and Declares French Were Best Marksmen

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND,
Boston American Staff Correspondent.

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Berlin, Feb. 18.—The ex-Crown Prince's book, entitled "The Soldiers of the World War," just published here, purports to be a critical analysis of the fighting qualities of the fighters of the various belligerents.

It is neither sensational nor particularly "deep," setting forth merely the personal views of the Kaiser's eldest son, based upon his observations as commander of one of the German army groups in the west. The book, however, contains many highly interesting passages and bespeaks an earnest effort on the author's part to be unbiased and fair. His opinion of the doughboy is summed up in these words:

"The American soldier was improvised, but he possessed good military qualities and he was a brave soldier."

By FRIEDRICH WILHELM VON HOHENZOLLERN,
Former Crown Prince of Germany.

Whoever questions the pre-eminent warlike qualities of the French soldier would only prove thereby that he does not know him. The French have always enjoyed the reputation with us as dangerous opponents, and justly so.

Only the superiority of the French artillery over ours at the beginning of the war was insufficiently known. The French 75-millimeter gun shot almost a mile farther than ours. Also, the French range-finding was better.

Without dairing in any way to deny the great personal bravery of the French soldier, I believe that in hand-to-hand fighting he is inferior to ours. The French infantry usually advanced only when their splendid artillery had visibly prepared the ground.

The average Frenchman is more sensitive and susceptible to impressions than is the German. He is capable of tremendous enthusiasm when things go well, but failure will affect him intensely.

"Tommy Atkins," the British soldier, is as the brilliant English novelist, Kipling, describes him—he is a mixture of soldier, sportsman and colonial pioneer. The English army in peace time was small but very good.

According to our views, the really well-trained and schooled general was Douglas Haig, whom I have learned to know personally.

The English soldier, especially during the first half of the war, was a very brave and tenacious opponent, was a trained sportsman. He was a serious proposition in hand-to-hand fighting. To summarize, the English soldier was a splendid and thoroughly serious opponent. He did not have the leadership that the French had, and therefore the creation of a single unified command under the French was an unfavorable event for Germany.

The Austrian army in peace-time was on the whole good, but there were a number of defects from which the army had been long ailing.

Doubtless the Austro-Hungarian army did great work during the war. At the beginning it stood the brunt of the Russian attack, and in the bitter mountain fighting against the Italians, its conduct was truly heroic.

The best fighters in the Austro-Hungarian army probably were the Germans, Tyroleans and Hungarians.

MRS. JANE HEARTZ OF CAMBRIDGE DEAD AT 70

Mrs. Jane Hearts, seventy, wife of Robert H. Hearts of No. 250 Norfolk street, Cambridge, is dead at her home of pneumonia after an illness of about a week. She had lived in Cambridge for more than half her life. The funeral will be Friday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Hearts is survived by her husband, two sisters and a brother, Estelle, wife of Rev. D. Harold Hickey of Springfield.

MISSING SOMERVILLE GIRL BACK AT HOME

Isabel Davis, fifteen, who had been missing since Friday last, returned to her home at No. 62 Dartmouth street, Somerville, today, and told her father that she had been working for a private family in Roxbury. The father told the Somerville police that the family had seen the girl's description in the newspapers and ordered her to return to her home.

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Stransky Conducts Beethoven's "Eroica" With Feeling; "1812" Brilliant Finish

By FRED J. McISAAC

The New York Philharmonic Orchestra, America's oldest symphony organization, visited Boston for the first time in four years last night.

Symphony Hall was comfortably filled by an audience which was most enthusiastic and exceedingly friendly.

The Philharmonic escaped the vicissitudes which the war brought to the Boston Symphony, and has the advantage of a personnel which has been unchanged for several years.

Stransky, the Bohemian conductor, is now in his ninth season and the smoothness with which the orchestra played gave testimony to its long allegiance to one leader.

Stransky had chosen the "Eroica," one of the largest and most serious of the Beethoven symphonies, but a work which offers sublime moments. The performance was brilliant in the extreme. The tone of the orchestra came rich and fine, its technique is unsurpassed and its response to the clean-cut beat and keen intellect of the conductor instant.

The Rachmaninoff tune poem, "The Isle of the Dead," was played with poetic insight, and the lescchaude from Tannhauser went brilliantly.

The ever popular Overture "1812" gave a rousing end to a very attractive program.

MORE COLD ON WAY HERE

There May Be a Drop of 20 Degrees in Temperature of Boston

It's going to be colder, much colder, the Weather Man said today, with a moderate cold wave late tonight and with Thursday about the same. And to add a little brightness to the meteorological perplexities of the coming twenty-four hours there will be moderate variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

In fact, says Forecaster Smith, the bottom may drop out of the compass tonight after the mercury takes a drop. Mercury may drop twenty degrees. After the recent ructions in the weather calendar nobody thought there was a drop left in the thermometer.

Which led the office boy or junior clerk in the local Weather Bureau to paraphrase:

The best laid plans of mice and men
Are—covered with icicles now and then,

and this same spirit led Forecaster Smith to reflect that it was minus 18—that's 15 below—at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Parry Sound, but 36 above in Boston, Nantucket and Block Island; 72 at Key West, Fla.

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LIMERICK MEN LAUD HEARST

Mayo Men Challenge Ulster Mission; Societies Prepare for Emmet Day

Cheers and prolonged applause greeted the passage of a resolution endorsing William Randolph Hearst for his "invaluable aid to the cause of Irish freedom" at an enthusiastic meeting of the Limerick Association in Russell Hall, Deacon building, South End.

Speeches eneracterizing Hearst as a 100 per cent. American, and as being free from "the slimy hand of glutinous British greed," were made by many of the members prior to the passage of the resolution, which read:

"Resolved, That this organization of Limerick men give its sincere thanks to the Hon. William Randolph Hearst and his brilliant chain of publications for their invaluable aid to the cause of Irish freedom, and that we regard Mr. Hearst as a foe of wrong and an honest friend of justice and liberty.

"Signed on behalf of the association,

"STANDISH J. REIDY,
"Treasurer."

ULSTERITES CHALLENGED.

"What right has England in Ireland?" is a question members of the Mayo Men's Benevolent Association wish to have "the accredited delegates of the Protestant churches of Ireland" in Boston against the separation of the Emerald Isle from Great Britain answer, according to a resolution passed by that organization at a meeting in Rathbone Hall, No. 694 Washington street.

The resolution, offered by President Michael J. Morrison, reads:

"Resolved, That the Mayo Men's Benevolent Association, composed of 100 per cent. Americans, extend an invitation to the Ulster delegation, who represent themselves and the whole British Empire, so as to hold themselves secure in their soft jobs, give the liberty-loving and fair-minded Americans a plain statement of fact, stripped of calumny and empty phrases—what right has England in Ireland?"

PREPARE FOR EMMET DAY.

The organization voted to buy $1,000 worth of Irish bond certificates. A committee consisting of President Morrison, Patrick F. Hastings, John McDonald, Martin G. Judge, John Hastings and Austin Needham was appointed to put the Irish bond drive "over the top." At the meeting to be held on February 26, the association will entertain women of the auxiliary in connection with the celebration commemorating the birth of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot.

Protest against the United States loaning money to "any foreign nation where there is a possibility of the same being used to keep an army of occupation in Ireland" was made at a mass meeting of the County Dublin Association, a branch of the Central Council of Irish County clubs, in Russell Hall, South End.

Committees will be appointed to arrange for a Robert Emmet day celebration at tomorrow night's meeting of the County Carlow Association in Deacon Hall, South End. President M. R. Kinsella will submit a report on matters dealing with the Irish bond certificate drive.

Delegations from subordinate branches of the Irish National Foresters' Benefit Association, with representatives of other organizations will attend the meeting of Branch Thomas Francis Meagher Sunday afternoon at No. 221 Cambridge street, West End.

ARREST SOUTH END MAN AS EXPRESS TEAM THIEF

Inspectors Donovan and Butler of police headquarters arrested Walter Kramer, 22 years old, who gave his adress as 23 Worcester square, in the shopping district charged with larceny of bundles from express wagons. The police charge that he took bundles of merchandise valued at $150 on February 3 and that he was attempting the larceny of a bundle containing $50 worth of goods owned by a Boston department store when captured.

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THE VALLEY OF THE GIANTS

By Peter B. Kyne

(Continued from yesterday.)

"WELL, about the time old Pennington started for San Francisco this morning, I had our attorney out of bed and on the long distance telephone; at 9 o'clock this morning he appeared in the United States District Court at nine-fifteen the judge signed a restraining order forbidding our enemies to interfere with us in the exercise of a right legally granted us by the city of Sequola, and at nine-thirty a deputy United States marshal started in an automobile for Sequola, via the overland route. He will arrive late tomorrow night, and on Sunday we will get that locomotive out of our way and install our crossing."

"And Pennington——"

"Ah, the poor Pennington! Mon pauvre Seth!" Buck sighed comically. "He will be just twenty-four hours late."

At eleven o'clock Saturday night the deputy United States marshal arrived in Sequola. Upon the advice of Buck Ogilvy, however, he made no attempt at service that night, notwithstanding the fact that Jules Rondeau and his bullies still guarded the crossing. At eight o'clock Sunday morning, however, Bryce Cardigan drove him down to the crossing. Buck Ogilvy was already there with his men, superintending the erection of a huge derrick close to the heap of obstructions placed on the crossing. Sexton was watching him uneasily, and flushed as Ogilvy pointed him out to the marshal.

"There's your meat, Marshal," he announced. The marshal approached and extended toward Sexton a copy of the restraining order. Thelatter struck it aside and refused to accept it—whereupon the deputy marshal tapped him on the shoulder with it. "Fag! You're out of the game, my friend," he said pleasantly.

As the documents fluttered to Sexton's feet, the latter turned to Jules Rondeau. "I can no longer take charge here, Rondeau," he explained. "I am forbidden to interfere."

"Jules Rondeau can do ze job," the woods boss replied easily. "Ze law, she have not restrain' me. I guess mebbeso you don't take dose theengs away, eh, M'sieur Cardigan. Myself, I ask sec——"

Calls Meeting

The deputy marshal handed Rondeau a paper, at the same time showing his badge. "You're out, too, my friend," he laughed. "Don't be foolish and try to buck the law. If you do, I shall have to place a nice little pair of handcuffs on you and throw you in jail—and if you resist arrest, I shall have to shoot you. I have one of these little restraining orders for every mobbed man in the Laguna Grande Lumber Company's employ—thanks to Mr. Ogilvy's foresight; so it is useless to try to beat this game on a technicality."

Sexton, who still lingered, made a gesture of surrender. "Disarm your crew, Rondeau," he ordered. "We're whipped to a frazzle."

Instead Pennington's discovery of Sexton's cruiser that Bryce Cardigan had stolen his thunder and turned the belt upon him, was the hardest blow Seth Pennington could remember having received throughout thirty-odd years of give and take. He was too old and experienced a campaigner, however, to permit a futile rage to cloud his reason; he prided himself upon being a foeman worthy of any man's steel.

On Tuesday he returned to Sequoia. Sexton related to him in detail the events which had transpired since his departure, but he elicited nothing more than a noncommittal grunt.

"There is one more matter, sir, which will doubtless be of interest to you," Sexton continued apologetically. "Miss Sumner called me on the telephone yesterday and instructed me formally to notify the board of directors of the Laguna Grande Company of a special meeting of the board, to be held here at two o'clock this afternoon. In view of the impossibility of communicating with you while you were en route, I conferred with her wishes. Our by-laws, as you know, stipulate that no meeting of the board shall be called without formal notice to each director mailed twenty-four hours previously."

"What the devil do you mean, Sexton, by conforming to her wishes? Miss Sumner is not a director of the company."

Pennington's voice was harsh and trembled with apprehension.

"Miss Sumner controls 40 per cent. of the Laguna Grande stock, sir. I took that into consideration."

"You lie!" Pennington all but screamed. "You took into consideration your job as secretary and general manager. Damnation!"

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"He seated, Uncle Seth," the girl answered quietly. "If you will only be quiet and reasonable, perhaps we can dispense with this directors' meeting which appears to frighten you so."

He sat down promptly, a look of relief on his face.

"I scarcely know how to begin, Uncle Seth," Shirley commenced coldly. "It pains me terribly to be forced to hurt you, but there doesn't appear to be any other way out of it. I cannot trust you to manage my financial affairs in the future—this for a number of reasons, the principal one being——"

"Young Cardigan," he interrupted in a low voice.

"I suppose so," she answered, "although I did think until very recently that it was those sixteen townships of red cedar—that crown grant in British Columbia in which you induced me to invest four hundred thousand dollars. You will remember that you purchased that timber for me from the Caribou Timber Company, Limited. You said it was an unparalleled investment. Quite recently I learned—no matter how—that you were the principal owner of the Caribou Timber Company, Limited! Smart as you are, somebody swindled you with that red cedar.

"It was a wonderful stand of timber—so read the cruiser's report—but 95 per cent. of it, despite its green and flourishing appearance, is hollow-butted! And the remaining 50 per cent. of sound timber cannot be logged unless the entire timber is logged also and gotten out of the way also. And I am informed that logging it spells bankruptcy."

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(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

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It must be plain to any sensible person who realizes this, that the stomach, liver and bowels must work in harmony if digestive troubles are to be avoided or overcome.

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If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headache, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, losing energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two and just see how much better you feel. See how quickly your sluggish bowels will become as regular as clock work, how your coated tongue clears up and your good, old-time appetite returns. See how splendidly your food will digest and how your energy, "pep" and "ginger" revive.

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You take no risk whatever for Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is only 25c a box, enough to last twenty-five days, and it must help and benefit you to your entire satisfaction, or money returned.

Five million boxes are used every year,—one million NR Tablets are taken by ailing people every day—that's the best proof of its merits. Nature's Remedy is the best and surest thing you can take for biliousness, constipation, indigestion and similar complaints. It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

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Our Self-Aiding Reduction Plan Creates Bargains

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A LEGAL STAMP WITH EVERY 10¢ PURCHASE.

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Men's Black HOSE 19c

ANNIVERSARY SALE

NEW MERCHANDISE ON SALE EVERY DAY

Women's Middies $1.49

Anniversary Offering of New Stylish

COATS $15

Excellent quality silvertones, wool velours and polo cloths; in loose and belted models; many are silk lined; many have collars of French seal (dyed coney); brown, reindeer and other popular shades.

Attractive HATS $2.29

Smart ready to wear hats of glossy straw combined with crepe; good assortment of styles and colors.

FINE UNDERGARMENTS UNUSUAL VALUES

Bloomers 59c
Fine batiste.

Envelopes, Bloomers & Drawers 99c
Many pretty models.

Gowns, Skirts and Envelopes, $1.49
Latest models, effectively trimmed.

WOMEN'S OUT-SIZE PANTS 59c
Jersey ribbed cotton; cuff knee; band with buttons on side.

Women's Novelty Silk Stockings $1.10
Open work stripes and plain silk; two-toned and plain black; some are seconds.

Women's Boots $2.98

Seconds of a high grade make of Comfort Shoes; boots, oxfords and Juliets; flexible turned sewed soles and cushion soles.

Children's Boots $1.59
Flexible turnsole boots in brown button; also patent leather or kidskin with fancy colored tops; sizes to 8.

Boston's ONLY Basement Store Giving Legal Stamps

R. H. White Co.

Thursday

What Every Woman Wants to Know Is: What Will the New Hat Cost?

A New Spring Hat

White's New Chic Models

For $7.50

Include many hand-made hats of good quality georgette, satin and straw-combinations of crepe, straw and new cire satin. Trimmings are of great variety—cellophane, fruits, flowers, smart lacquered feathers and bright ornaments.

Second Floor, North

Thursday

Misses' Taffeta Spring Frocks For $25.00

Taffeta frocks—the last word in Spring costuming.

Made with bouffant effect skirts, the newest puff trimmings, girlish sashes with bows in back; some are embroidered, others are beaded, all have the Spring short sleeves; good quality taffeta in all the approved Spring shades.

Misses' Salon, Second Floor, Centre

Thursday

Misses' Flannelette Petticoats for 39c

Warm flannelette skirts, made with hemstitched ruffle. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

Second Floor, Centre

Thursday

Lace Trimmed Vestees Herald the Coming of Spring

Hemstitched Net and Lace Vestees for 79c

Eleven rows of lace insertion adorn the vestee, which is topped with a flat, hemstitched net collar, finished with narrow picot-edged ruffling.

An old dress looks new when brightened up with organdie.

Collar and Cuffs 59c *the Set*

Street Floor, Centre

Thursday

Just the Coat Baby Needs for the Daily Outdoor Nap

Infants' White Corduroy Coats For $5.95

Warm—made with quilted lining and of good quality corduroy. Sizes 1 to 2 years.

Second Floor, Centre

Thursday

Old Gold Finish Bag Tops For 35c

Collapsible style—5 inches wide.

Hairbow Taffeta Ribbon For 44c Yd.

5½ inches wide.

The correct width for a hair bow or a sash for the new Spring dress. In white, pink, blue, Copenhagen blue and cardinal.

First Floor, Centre

Thursday

One Way of Meeting the Coal Shortage

Flannelette Night Gowns For $1.85

White or striped flannelette, heavy quality, braid trimmed.

Cut amply long and full.

Some are collarless; others have collars.

Second Floor, Centre

Thursday

Silver Plated Teaspoons Set Of Six For 98c

Wm. Rogers Mfg. Co. guaranteed R. C. quality teaspoons in neat design.

Street Floor, North

Thursday

For Dresses or Skirts

New Spring Plaids

38 inches wide.

For $1.48 yd.

Plaids promise to be more popular this Spring than ever before.

You may use them for a whole garment or combine them with plain materials.

Street Floor, Centre

Thursday

The fabric you don't have to iron

Ripplette

28 inches wide

For 45c Yd.

For children's dresses, rompers, petticoats and women's house dresses.

It washes very easily and needs no ironing.

Street Floor, Centre

Thursday

Gray Enamel Tea Kettles

4-Quart Size.....95c
7-Quart Size...$1.10

Good durable kettles with enamel covers and wooden bail handles.

(The above capacity is trade measure.)

Household Section, Basement

R. H. WHITE CO.

$50,000 FIRE IN EAST BOSTON

Two Buildings Destroyed in Two-Alarm Blaze on Waterfront

Two buildings were destroyed in a stubborn two-alarm fire on the wharf of the Bertelsen and Petersen Engineering Company at Nos. 240-264 Border street, East Boston, causing damage estimated at over $50,000. Priceless patterns were included in the loss.

The fire, which for a time threatened to wipe out the entire waterfront on Border street from Central square to the Chelsea creek, necessitated the summoning of apparatus from Revere and Chelsea. Firemen were considerably handicapped because of the heavy snow and difficulty in starting the water supply from the hydrants.

The flames gathered rapid headway and not until the combined efforts of two powerful fireboats and streams from several pieces of apparatus were directed toward the fire was the blaze placed under control. The copper-sheathed building, in which large quantities of copper were stored, and a building known as the oakum loft, were completely wiped out.

Prof. Skinner to Speak

Professor Clarence R. Skinner of Tufts College will speak on "Industrial Democracy" at an open forum tonight in Clarendon Street Baptist Church.

WILL RADIUM AT LAST OPEN THE DOOR OF THE GREAT UNKNOWN?

If you are sick and want to Get Well and Keep Well, write for literature that tells How and Why this almost unknown and wonderful new element brings relief in so many sufferers from Rheumatism, Sciatica, Gout, Neuritis, Neuralgia, Nervous Prostration, High Blood Pressure and diseases of the Stomach, Heart, Lungs, Liver, Kidneys and other ailments. You wear this Radio-Active Solar Pad day and night, receiving the Radio-Active Rays continuously into your system, causing a healthy circulation, overcoming sluggishness, throwing off impurities and restoring the tissues and nerves to a normal condition—and the next thing you know you are getting well.

Sold on a test proposition. You are thoroughly satisfied it is helping you before the appliance is yours. Nothing to do but wear it. No trouble or expense, and the most wonderful fact about the appliance is that it is sold so reasonably that it is within the reach of all, both rich and poor.

No matter how bad your ailment or how long standing, we will be pleased to have you try it at our risk. Full information write today—not tomorrow. Radium Appliance Co., 461 Bradbury bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.—Advertisement.

HELLO, BILL, GOT A NEW OVERCOAT?

No, this is my Army Overcoat I had dyed by the **Peerless Dye Works** for $1, and say, my mother had her dress dyed by them and it looks fine. They know how to dye goods, without shrinking, a fast, beautiful color, and at the lowest prices in Boston.

PEERLESS DYE WORKS
181 Summer St.
Opp. South Station. Tel. Main 7924.

Singer Comes Back in 'Royal Vagabond'

FRANCES DEMAREST.

Frances Demarest returns to Boston in one of the most important roles of "The Royal Vagabond," at the Colonial Theatre. Miss Demarest is one of the most popular prima donnas of light opera, and though she has not visited this city for several seasons, she hasn't been forgotten.

Miss Demarest first won fame by singing "Every Little Movement Has Meaning All Its Own" in "Mme. Sherry." She began her stage career in Boston at the Tremont Theatre in "The Man from Now," and she has been prominent in a line of successes since.

SOUTH BOSTON K. OF C. TO HOLD MEMORIAL MASS

Plans have been completed by South Boston Council, Knights of Columbus, for a memorial mass to be celebrated at St. Peter and Paul's Church, West Broadway, next Monday morning. The Rev. William H. Grant will be the officiating clergyman and after the mass a breakfast will be served in St. Joseph's Hall at which prominent speakers will address the members.

Allows H. B. Rogers Will

The will of Harriet B. Rogers of Billerica, who died December 14, 1919, has been allowed. Frederick P. Marble of Lowell and Isabella W. T. Clark of Billerica have been appointed executors. The estate is valued at $29,100.

CITIZENS MAY RUN LYNN CARS

Revocation of Practically All Jitney Licenses Is Planned

Lynn, Feb. 18.—Revocation March 1 of all jitney licenses except those issued to community bus lines running to North Saugus and Lynnfield, where there is no street car service, is contemplated by the City Council. A public hearing will be given tomorrow night.

There are fifty-nine licenses issued, but only forty-two are affected as the other seventeen had licenses to run to Lynn from Salem and Peabody and they ceased doing business some time ago.

The trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts system have offered to turn the management of the Lynn division over to a committee of citizens, to be selected by Mayor Creamer, to sell sixteen-ride tickets for 31 and to double track the Myrtle-street line and make other track improvements.

They predict that within three months eighteen-ride tickets will be sold for $1, and that within a year the fare unit will be five cents.

BROOKLINE TOWN OFFICERS NOMINATED

The four present members of the Brookline Board of Selectmen were renominated at the town caucus and George S. Baldwin was nominated for the vacancy caused by the appointment of Payson Dana as head of the State Civil Service Commission.

William J. Love, one of the town auditors, failed of renomination. David B. Church and James B. Duffy were nominated for auditors, together with Chester T. Burr of the present board.

REVERE WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS MEETING TODAY

The Revere Woman's Club holds its opening meeting this afternoon in the vestry of the Congregational Church of Revere. Miss Ethel Berner and Miss Lila Watson will give a lecture and recital. Miss Harriet L. Penno is chairman.

BEGIN 'MAKING OF AMERICANS'

State-Wide Drive Will Be Opened With Meeting Tonight at Faneuil Hall

Headed by a band, members of the James E. Welch Post, North End Post, William E. Carter Post and the Boston Firemen's Post of the American Legion will march through the downtown streets tonight to Faneuil Hall, where the mass meeting of the American Legion's "Make Friends With an Alien Week" will be held.

Tonight's meeting at Faneuil Hall is the launching in the city proper of the State-wide drive that the Legion, co-operating with the Boston Committee for Americanism, is making throughout Massachusetts.

The speakers at Faneuil Hall tonight will be Governor Coolidge, Mayor Peters, Colonel Edward L. Logan, Michael J. Downey, chairman of the Boston Committee for Americanism; Hon. John I. Fitzgerald and A. C. Ratchetskey. Delegations from the leading civic organizations throughout Boston will have seats on the platform, and preceding the speeches there will be community singing and the playing of patriotic airs.

WAR VETERAN WANTS DIVORCE SET ASIDE

Springfield, Feb. 18.—"Rusty" Graham, war veteran, has appealed to

What causes Indigestion

An excess of acid in the stomach sours the food and starts fermentation. Distressing gases form. Your meals don't digest, but lay like lumps of lead. Then you have heartburn, flatulence, fullness, belching, headache and real misery in the stomach and intestines.

A few tablets of "Pape's Diapepsin" bring relief almost as soon as they reach the stomach. "Pape's Diapepsin" costs little at drug stores.—Advertisement.

Indians Say U. S. Owes Them $5,000,000

Washington, Feb. 18.—Uncle Sam owes a small matter of $5,000,000 to the Pitt tribe of California Indians, according to Chief Grindstone, who has come to the Pale Faces' capital to make the role of collector.

Chief Grindstone, who also answers to the name of Charles Green, declares his claims are backed by eighteen Indian treaties, signed years ago but never ratified by the Senate. He presented himself at the White House, but no one there had $5,000,000 about him, so the chief was referred to the Interior Department.

have set aside the divorce decree granted his wife, daughter of a prominent physician and at one time an artist's model in New York. Graham is the son of the former State Game Commissioner, and saw service with the 104th Regiment.

TAU DELTA PHI TO MEET NEXT WEEK

The tenth annual convention of the Tau Delta Phi Fraternity will be held at the Hotel Thorndike on February 21, 22 and 23.

The convention committee includes R. Alpern, Harvard, chairman; H. Cohen, B. U., finances; M. Lipp, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, reception; E. Segal, B. U., entertainment; H. L. Wolk, B. U., publicity.

LADIES!
$10 FOR BEST ANSWER

What objections are there to young men selling Ladies' Cloaks and Suits if there are no objections to their selling footwear or taking half-busts in pictures?

STARR'S
2276 Washington St., Roxbury

Squantum to Repair Destroyers

Word has been received at the Charlestown Navy Yard that the plant at Squantum is to be known as the United States Navy Bureau of Naval Operations and it is understood that work will begin at the plant early next month.

Every night with warm water a teaspoonful of
FABERY'S SALTS
Is better than all the so-called medicines for headache, gas in stomach constipation and other digestive ills.
Get the habit today.
For sale at all dealers or by ROBT. FABERY, 272 Tremont Street, BOSTON

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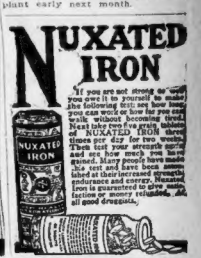

Manufacturers' Sample Bureau Scarfs at 98c each

Jordan Marsh Company
Great Basement Store
The Famous Store Within a Store
For the Sale of the Last Exquisite Merchandise

Many Small Lots Not Advertised Here

For Thursday—These New Bargain Lots From The *Sale of Manufacturers' Samples & Odd Lots*

Each Day We Shall Offer New Bargain Lots

Women's Fibre Silk Lace Hose, black and colors, seconds 79c
Women's Dropstitch Hose, black and cordovan, seconds 49c
Women's Cotton Hose, seamless, fast black; seconds 25c
Boys' Ribbed Cotton Hose, fast black; seconds 39c
Children's Ribbed Cotton Hose, fine rib; seconds 35c
Men's Silk and Fibre Plaited Hose, black and colors, seconds 59c
Men's Mercerized Hose, black and colors, seconds 29c
Men's Cotton Hose, black and colors; seconds 25c
Hair Bow Ribbons, 4½ in. white, black and colors 39c
Fancy Ribbons, 8½ in., dark colorings, for camisoles 1.59
Satin Ribbon, 4 in., black, rose, pink, flesh and orange 12½c
Brocade Ribbons, 5 inch, in white and colors 69c
Satin Ribbon, 4 inch, white and pink only 59c
Women's Pointed Lace Collars, for the round neck 39c
Women's Neckwear, samples in, in various styles 50c
Sleeveless Guimpes, high neck; plain net, boned collars 29c
Women's Neckwear, odd lot, slightly mussed, all washable kinds 12½c
Women's Boots, brown kid, imitation wing tip, military heel, welt sole 6.85
Women's Lace Boots, gun metal Cuban heel, welt sole 5.95
Women's Boots, odd lot, to close out at 2.75
Women's House Shoes, in small sizes, 2½ to 4, only 1.00
Men's Lace Boots, gun metal, Goodyear welt 4.95
Men's Felt Everett Slippers, leather soles; large sizes only 1.00
Men's Boots, brown and black; fibre soles and heels 4.25
Navy Satin Duchess, 36 in. in this sale 3.29
Black Satin, 36 in. wide, splendid quality 3.29
Black Taffeta, 36 in., wide, good quality 2.98
Black Satin, very heavy quality 3.69
Metal Flounces, 36 inch, in wanted evening shades. 2.49
Imitation Filet Lace, 4 inches wide. Yard 23c
Shadow Laces, 6 to 9 inches wide. Yard 29c
Crash Dish or Hand Towels, hemmed, cut 1 yard long; full bleach; part linen 29c
Bleached Crash, part linen, neat blue border 25c
Russia Weave Union Crash, very absorbent; all white or with red borders 29c
Mercerized Damask Napkins, 16 inch, first quality. Dozen 2.15
Damask Tray Cloths, 18x27, fine grade mercerized 25c
Pattern Table Cloths, hemstitched, 2x2½ yards; fine grade 4.95
White Wool Mixed Blankets, double bed size, pink or blue borders. Pair 7.75

Blankets, white or gray cotton, medium size. Pair 2.98
Woolnap Blankets, white, grey or tan, size 64x76. Pair 4.50
Sheet Blankets, large size, mixed wools; slight mill imperfections. Each 1.69
Bedspreads, extra heavy double warp. Shredding patterns 3.69
Women's Sport Suits, heather mixtures, belted model 23.50
Women's Tailored Suits, different materials and models 15.00
Women's Tailored Suits, serges and poplins 18.50
Women's New Spring Models, braid trimmed 24.50
Women's Tailored Suits, for the large figures; navy blue and black, sizes 40½ to 50½ 32.50
Men's and Young Men's Suits, fancy mixtures, English and conservative models 19.00
Men's and Young Men's Suits, tan and dark mixtures. Sale price 24.50
Men's and Young Men's Suits, fancy mixtures, blue serges, worsteds 29.50
Men's and Young Men's Suits, light and dark mixtures. Sale price 32.50
Men's Trousers, for business wear, dark mixtures 3.95
Men's Trousers, fancy worsteds and dark mixtures 4.95
Youths' First Long Trouser Suits, in fancy mixtures 19.00
Youths' First Long Trouser Suits, light and dark mixtures 24.50
Muslin Shirts, trimmed with embroidery and underlay 1.49
Muslin Shirts, extra size, trimmed with embroidery and underlay 1.98
Women's Shirts, a good assortment of beautiful plaids 16.50
Men's Negligee Shirts, percale plaids, soft or laundered cuffs, neat stripes 1.50

Men's Chaviot Work Shirts, neat stripes, collar attached 1.25
Men's Neckwear, open and silks, plain colors and fancies 50c
Men's Suspenders, good web, leather ends 35c
Seamless Wilton Rugs, slight mill imperfection. 8.3x10.6 feet 76.50
Royal Axminster Seamless Rugs, heavy pile. 7.6x9 feet 32.50
Wool and Fibre Seamless Rugs, reversible. size 9x12 ..... 12.95
Tapestry Brussels Seamless Rugs, variety of designs. 9x12 feet 24.50
Royal Axminster Seamless Rugs, heavy, close pile. size 9x12 feet 59.50
Royal Axminster Seamless Rugs, excellent patterns; size 6x9 feet 26.50
Axminster Rugs, 30x70 inches 6.95
Muslin Envelope Chemises, embroidery trimmed, cut with ribbon 79c
Muslin Drawers, extra size, trimmed with neat embroidery 79c
Pink Jersey Bloomers, seconds; cut good and full 39c
Black Sateen Bloomers, cut good and full 98c
Muslin Night Gowns, lace and embroidery, run with ribbon 1.98
Muslin Envelope Chemises, trimmed with lace; various styles 1.25
Misses' and Girls' Coney Fur Hats, in gray and black 2.50
Girls' Velour Hats, in mannish styles, green, black and blue 2.50
Misses' and Girls' Hats, in tailored and streamers styles 49c
Colored Scrim Curtains, Dutch style, pink or blue figures. 2-piece set 89c
Dutch Style Voile Curtains, hand-drawn effects. 2-piece set 2.75

Colored Madras Curtains, slight mill imperfections. Pair 2.98
Curtain Voile, hemstitched, with lace edge. Yard 35c
Figured Armure Portieres, in plain colors. A pair 7.95
Drapery Fabrics, in a variety of colors and patterns. A yard 69c
Figured Cretonnes, assorted designs and colors. A yard 28c
Ruffled Voile Curtains, hemstitched ruffle. A pair 1.75
Dutch Style Voile Curtains, filet insertion and edge. 2-piece set 1.49
Filet Net Curtains, attractive borders, with neat lace edge. Pair 2.98
Cable Net Curtains, cluny insertion and edge. Pair 3.58
Green Olive Oil Soap, 6-pound bars 95c
Tooth Brushes, bone and celluloid handles 17c
Toilet Lotion of rose water, bergamot and violet 39c
Avon Face Powder, special for this sale 19c
Comfort Face Powder and Rouge 15c
Corylopsis Talcum Powder. Sale price 10c
Latour Toilet Paper, cakages of 1000 sheets. 3 for 90c
Hair Brushes, with good bristles 59c
White Lilac Perfume, 50c per ounce 50c
All Silk Jersey Petticoats, accordion pleated flounce 5.98
All Silk Jersey Petticoats, some with satin flounce 7.50
Taffeta Silk Flounce Petticoats, with sepeco silk tops 3.98
Heatherbloom Petticoats, plain colors and flowered effects; regular and extra sizes. For this sale 2.98
Cotton Taffeta Petticoats, in black, colors. Special for this sale 1.59
Children's Winter Coats, full circular model, fancy mixtures; navy and green. sizes 2 to 4 years 3.98
Children's Coats, of broadcloth; fancy cheviot, in brown and navy. sizes 2 and 3 years only 7.50
Boys' Coats, of chinchilla and cheviot, in brown and navy. sizes 2 and 3 years only 3.98
Children's Wool Velour Coats, velvet collars, in rainbow 5.00
Children's Coats, of velvet and corduroy; empire and belted styles. sizes 1 and 2 years only 1.75
Silk Muslin Dresses, in white, trimmed with lace and ribbons 79c
Muslin Corset Covers, trimmed with lace and embroidery; regular and extra sizes 98c
Women's Coats, with 35.00 fur collars 35.00
Women's Coats, mostly all light weight, suitable for spring wear 15.00
Women's Coats, in velours and other desirable materials; 10.50 staple models 10.50

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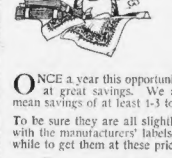

Annual Sale of 1200 Samples of Fancy Linens

ONCE a year this opportunity comes to us—to buy samples at great savings. We are selling them at prices that mean savings of at least 1-3 to you.

To be sure they are all slightly mussed and they are marked with the manufacturers' labels—but certainly it is worth your while to get them at these prices and then have them washed.

There are scarfs and square table covers to match and also scarfs and centrepieces to match.

The Scarfs, 45c to 16.50

Edges of imitation filet or Cluny trim many of them, some have linen centres.

One scarf that would be very pretty on the sideboard has a fine imitation Cluny edge, 95c.

There is one splendid all linen scarf with heavy linen lace edge, 3.25. With centrepiece to match, which is also 3.25.

The Table Covers, 59c to 8.00

Square table covers of heavy cotton with edges of imitation Cluny and filet—some with hemstitched edges.

These squares can be used for pillow shams as well.

One square table cover with deep edge of imitation filet is 75c.

The Doilies, 5c to 8.00

There are neat little machine scalloped doilies, lace trimmed doilies and all-over lace doilies.

A few prices will serve to show you how moderately these are priced.

A 6-inch all-over lace doily is 5c.

A 10-inch lace doily is 15c.

The Centre-pieces, 5c to 8.00

Some are of linen, some of cotton. They are trimmed with imitation filet and Cluny lace. Some are simply edged with lace—others have insertion and medallions in the centre as well.

One centrepiece with imitation filet insertion and deep edge is 2.35.

There are scarfs to match this, 18x36 inches, 1.39. 18x45 inches, 1.50.

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These new and beautiful instruments, acknowledged to be the world's leading makes.

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H. F. Miller Upright. $120
Kranich & Bach $130
Chickering Upright ... $127
Weber Upright $110
Emerson Upright $80
88-Note Int. Player ... $295
Steinberg Upright $95
Emerson Ang'a Player. $325
Steinway Upright $160
Chickering Upright ... $70
Behning Upright $80
Hallet & Davis $150
Haynes Upright $145
Kranich & Bach $85
Kranich & Bach Play'r. $425
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EACH **1.98** *EACH*
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State on your order the number of shares of stock you desire (in blocks).

Initial payment of 10% is required with each order.

As the books of the Company close February 25, 1920, your subscription must be received before that date.

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REGISTRAR:
(Both Preferred and Common Stock)
First Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago, Ill.

The Armour Leather Company has been organized under the Laws of the State of Delaware, and will acquire all of the tanning companies and leather assets now owned by Armour and Company at figures which do not include any value for good will. The gross volume of business in 1919 was approximately $90,000,000.

CAPITALIZATION

	Authorized	To be immediately issued and outstanding
7% Cumulative Preferred Stock ($100 par)	$25,000,000	$10,000,000
Common Stock ($15 par)	$15,000,000	*$15,000,000
Founders' Stock (no par value) ..... shares	100,000	†100,000

*$4,500,000 Common Stock is reserved to be offered to employees and customers of the Company.

†The Founders' Stock will be subscribed for and acquired by Armour and Company, who will pay $5 a share for same.

The Company will have no bonds outstanding and covenants not to permit the creation of any mortgages or liens upon the present property of either the Company or the companies whose stock the Company is about to acquire, without the consent of the holders of two-thirds in par value of the Preferred Stock outstanding at the time.

Net assets, based on valuations of November 1, 1919, will be $25,500,000, equal to $255 per share of Preferred Stock outstanding. Net quick assets will be $16,043,564, which is equal to $160 per share of Preferred Stock outstanding.

Additional Preferred Stock can only be issued to an amount equal to 75% of the cost of extensions, additions, betterments and improvements and of new property acquired, and then only provided earnings for a period of twelve months have been at least three times the amount required for dividends on all Preferred Stock outstanding and the new stock to be issued.

The Company agrees to maintain at all times, net assets equal to at least 200%, and net quick assets equal to at least 125% of the par value of all Preferred Stock outstanding.

Earnings available for dividends, after Federal taxes during the last fiscal year were $6,195,624; average annual net earnings during the last four-year period were $4,485,215. Thus, net earnings for the last fiscal year were over eight times, and average earnings of the last four years were in excess of six times dividend requirements on present issue of Preferred Stock.

After preferred dividends, the remaining surplus earnings shall be available for dividends on the Common and Founders' Stock, in equal aggregate amounts. For a period of three years dividends on the Founders' Stock shall be limited if earnings are less than $4,000,000.

After providing for dividends on the Preferred Stock, the earnings for the last fiscal year were equivalent to 18.3% on the Common Stock (this after deducting an equal aggregate amount on the Founders' Stock), and the average annual net earnings during the four-year period were 12.6% on the Common Stock on the same basis.

The officers and directors of the Company will be principally those who have been engaged in the operation of the companies now being acquired, and who have in a large measure been responsible for their growth and development.

APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO LIST BOTH THE PREFERRED AND COMMON STOCK ON THE CHICAGO STOCK EXCHANGE

All legal proceedings approved by Messrs. Mayer, Meyer, Austrian and Platt, Attorneys, Chicago; Balance Sheet and Earnings certified to by Price, Waterhouse & Co., Chicago; Appraisals made by American Appraisal Co., Milwaukee.

Price—in blocks {$100 par value, Preferred, 1 Share / $105 par value, Common, 7 Shares} $200 per block

(This is equivalent to price of $95 per share on Preferred Stock and $15 per share on the Common Stock)

Subscriptions, accompanied by initial payment of 10%, will be received on behalf of the Company by

Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago
or
Bankers Trust Company, New York
Fiscal Agents

who will on request furnish copies of a letter from the Company giving detailed information, which can also be obtained at the various offices of Armour and Company.

Stocks Rally in N. Y.; Call Money Renews at 6%

CARRIERS LED AN ADVANCE

Oils Follow Rails Upward and Whole List Shows an Improvement

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor.

Stocks were strong in New York at noon, the rally which followed the first hour reaction continuing during the forenoon. Rails were the leaders in the upturn, followed closely by oils and motors.

After early weakness steels joined in the forward movement, Republic being the only issue in this group to prove a laggard. Morning gains ranged from fractions to four points. The market was comparatively quiet, first hour transactions totalling about 225,000 shares.

Call money renewed at 6 per cent. This contributed to the strength of stocks. In the foreign exchange market demand sterling advanced 5c to $3.35½ at the opening.

PRICES HIGHER AT OPENING.

An advance in prices at the opening was not of long duration, stocks being freely offered and the supply swamping demand. Early gains varied from fractions to two points or more, with railroads leading the upturn. Oils were strong and steels weak. Motors lacked support and all the leaders in this department receded. Strength characterized shipping and equipment issues. Sugars were lower. Among specialties to make a good display were International Paper and National Enameling. At the end of thirty minutes most stocks had lost gains wholly or in part and the market had become weak. A rally followed and by mid-morning prices were above the opening level. Trading was professional. Fluctuations were not wide eighter on the rise or the descent, three points being about the limit. Rails and oils had the best support, buying of the carriers being by important interests, according to Wall Street rumors.

MONEY VIEWS VARY.

Opinions as to the money outlook are not all alike. Some financiers expect a relaxation in rates before long while others think there will be nothing easy about the situation for weeks. A leading New York banker has expressed the belief that interest rates have reached the peak and that soon there will be plenty o money for the stock market. According to reports received this morning there is less difficulty in obtaining funds for operating in securities than in financing transactions in commodities. While the call rate is declining there is persistent talk of another advance in rediscount rates by Federal Reserve bankers.

Sentiment was more cheerful this morning, although the market movement indicated that traders are nervous and seeking positions where they will be able to make turns as quickly as developments inspire shifts. Washington events in the future may be as surprising as those of the past. There is great uncertainty and very little confidence as to conditions at the seat of government.

LOANS TO FARMERS BY FEDERAL LAND BANKS

Loans to 4,402 farmers in January this year by Federal Land Banks totalled $15,655,933 and the money was placed on long-time first mortgages. There were 6,377 applications for loans received by the twelve land banks, and the aggregate of the amounts wanted was $25,072,158. The St. Paul bank made loans amounting to $2,-687,300 and led the list in this respect. The Houston Bank came second with $2,487,895 placed.

At the end of last month there were operating in the United States 3,344 farm loan associations and total mortgage loans made by the Federal Land Banks through these associations to 116,139 farmer borrowers as of that date, amounted to $318,446,231. The loans paid off in full by these borrowers amounted to $7,941,265.

COTTON EXPORTS AGAIN BREAK HIGH RECORD

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Despite depreciation in European exchange in recent weeks, exports of domestic raw cotton from the United States in January of 478,082,239 pounds or 529,671 bales, invoiced at $194,985,353 exceeded in value and number of bales shipped the former high record set in November last of 478,543,887 pounds or 524,751 bales worth $181,389,272, the Department of Commerce announces.

England was the largest purchaser, followed by Japan, Italy, France, Belgium and Canada.

New York Stocks

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until 11:30 o'clock had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Adv Rumely	38½	38½	38½	38½
Ajax Rubber	70	69½	69½	69½
Allis-Chalmers	39½	39½	39½	39½
Am Ag Chem	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
Am Best Sugar...	82	82	81½	82
Am Can	42¾	43¼	42¾	43¼
Am Car & Fdry	129½	131¼	129½	131½
Am Cotton Oil	43¾	44	43¾	44
Am Express	97	97	97	97
Am Hide & Leather	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Am Hide & L. pf..	104½	104½	104½	104½
Am Ice pf....	58	58	58	58
Am Int Corp	91½	91½	90¾	90¾
Am Linseed Oil	78	78	78	78
Am Locomotive ..	81½	85¾	81½	85¾
Am Ship & Com ..	20½	22	20½	21½
Am Smelt & Ref ..	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
Am Sug Refinery	126¾	128	126	128
Am Sumatra Tob.	85½	85½	85½	84½
Am Steel Fdry	42	42¼	42	42¼
Am Tel & Tel	97½	98	97½	98
Am Woolen	125½	125¾	123½	124½
Am Writing P pf..	45½	46	45½	45½
Anaconda	57	57	56	57
Ann Arbor.....	14	14	13½	14
Ann Arbor pf	25	25	25	25
Asso Dry Goods ..	49½	49½	49½	49½
Atchison.....	84	84	82½	84
Atchison pf	77½	77½	77½	77½
A T Securities	88½	89¼	87½	89¼
Atlantic Gulf	146¾	147¾	146	146¾
Auto Sales	13¾	14	13½	14
Baldwin Loco 108		110¾	107½	110¼
Balt & Ohio	32¾	33	32	32¾
Balt & Ohio pf....	43½	44¼	43½	44¼
Barnet Leather ...	108	108	108	108
Beth Motor Corp.	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Beth Steel B	86¾	88½	86¾	88½
Beth steel spl....	109	110	109	110
Booth Fisheries ..	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Brooklyn R T....	13	13	13	13
Brooklyn & Queens	9¾	9	9	9¼
Butte & Superior.	23½	24	23½	23½
Caddo Oil	20½	20½	20½	20½
Cal Packing	78½	79	78½	79
Cal Petrol.....	33	33¾	33	33¾
Canadian Pac....	120¾	121¾	120¾	121
Cent Leather.....	76¾	78¾	76½	78½
Cerro de Pasco....	49	50	49	50
Chandler	129	129½	129	129½
Ches & Ohio	53¾	55½	52¾	54½
Chic G W	9	9½	8½	9
Chic Gt W pf	23	23¾	22¾	23¾
Chic & N W.....	82	82½	81	82½
Chic R I	23½	23¾	23	23½
Chic R I & pf....	62¾	63	62¾	63
Chic R I & P pf..	70	70½	69½	70½
Chi, M & St P....	37¾	38	36¾	37¾
Chi, Mil & St P pf.	62¾	63½	62	63½
Chile	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Chntt Peabody ..	88	88	88	88
Coca Cola	93½	93½	88½	88½
Col & Southern	23¾	24½	23	24½
Columbia Graph...	42¾	42¾	41¾	41¾
Cont Can	108	108	106	106
Con Inter Cal.....	19	19	18½	19
Cons Prod	30¾	30¾	30	30¾
Crucible Steel....	194½	202	192	199½
Cuba Cane Sug....	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Cuba Cane Sug pf.	73	73	73	73
Del Lack & W.....	170	170	170	170
Denver & R G....	7¾	7¾	7½	7½
Denver & R G pf..	12¾	14	12¾	14
Domes Mines.....	11¾	11¾	10¾	10¾
Dominion Coal....	23¾	23¾	23¼	23¼
Endicott Johnson.	112¾	114	112¾	114
Erie	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Erie 1st pf	21	21¾	20¾	21½
Erie 2d pf.....	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Fam Players Corp.	73	74¼	73	73
Fam Players pf...	87½	87½	87½	87½
Fed M & Smelt pf.	28½	28½	29½	29½
Fisk Rubber.....	50¾	54¾	50¾	54¾
Freeport Tex Co..	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Gen Electric.....	168½	169¾	166¾	169¾
Gen Motor	238½	238	221	238
Goodrich.....	69	69¾	68¾	69
Granby	61¾	64¾	61¾	64¾
Granby	38	38	38	38
Gt Nor pf	74½	74½	74	74½
Gt Northern Ore..	58½	57	56½	56½
Haskell Barker....	54¼	54¾	54¼	54¾
Hupp Motor Car..	32¾	33¼	32¾	33¼
Ill Central.....	87½	87½	87	87½
Inspiration.....	53	55	52¾	54¾
Interboro Cons....	8¾	8¾	8½	8½
Int Harvester.....	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾
Int Motors 2d pf..	60	60	60	60
Int Nickel.....	21¾	23¼	21¾	21¾
Int Paper.....	76½	77¾	76½	77
Int Pump	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Jones Bros Tea....	26	26	26	26
Inverness Ry	37	37	36½	36½
Kelly-Springfield.	116	116	116	116
Kelly-Spring pf....	100	100	100	100
Kennecott Cop....	30¾	31¼	30¾	30¾
Kennecott.....	29	29	29	29
Lack Steel	74	74	74	74
Lehigh Valley.....	43½	43½	43½	43½
Lee Rubber	29½	29½	29½	29½
Loose-Wiles	20¾	20¾	19¾	20¾
Loose-Wiles	50	50	50	50
Louisville	103½	103½	103¼	103¼
Manati Sugar.....	112	112	112	112
Mex Seaboard.....	30¾	31¾	30¾	31¾
Mex Seaboard pf..	83¾	83¾	83	83¾
Mex Petrol.....	178	176½	169¾	175
Miami.....	28	28	28	28
Middle States Oil..	26	26	25	26
Midvale Steel.....	46½	46½	46½	46½
Minn & StL.....	13½	13¾	13½	13¾
Minn, St P & St M	70¾	70¾	70¼	70¾
M K T	8½	9	8¾	8½
M K T pf.....	15½	15½	15	15
Mo Pacific.....	26	26½	25	26
Mo Pacific pf.....	41½	42	41¾	41¾
Mullins Body Corp	41	41	41	41
Nat Acme.....	36¼	36¼	36¼	36¼
Nat Biscuit.....	86½	87	86¾	86¾
Nat Enameling....	9	9	9	9
Nat Enaline pf....	86	86	86	86
Nat Biscuit.....	112	112	112	112
Nat Conduit.....	9	9	9	9
Na En & Stamp....	75	75	75	75
Nat Lead	76	76	75½	75½
Nat Ry Mex 2d....	4½	4½	4½	4½
New Haven.....	28½	29	27¾	29
New O T & M....	43¼	43¼	43¼	43¼
N Y Air Brake....	99	99	99	99
N Y Central.....	73¾	73½	70¼	72½

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
N Y Dock.....	32½	33	32½	32½
No Pacific.....	74¾	78	74½	78
Nortolk & So.....	11	11	11	11
Norfolk & W	95	95½	95	95¼
Nova Scotia Steel..	56	56	56	56
Ohio Cities Gas....	42½	43	42½	42½
Oklahoma P & R....	7	7¼	7	7¼
Ohio Steel.....	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾
Owens Bottle.....	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
Pan Am Petrol....	81½	84½	80¾	84½
Panama P&T Co..	76	78½	76	77½
Peoples Gas.....	39½	39½	39½	39¼
Penn R R.....	42	42	41¾	42
Penn Sea Steel....	24	23	22¾	23
Pere Marquette....	29½	30½	29	30
Philadelphia Co...	36½	36½	36½	36¾
Pierce Oil	17½	18	17	18
Pierce Oil pf.....	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
Pierce Arrow.....	54½	55½	52¾	55
Pitts & W Va.....	47½	47½	46½	47
Punta Sugar.....	81½	83½	81½	81½
*Pre Steel Car	92½	92½	91½	91½
Ry Steel Springs..	80½	81¼	78	79¾
Ray Cons.....	20	20	20	20
Reading.....	70½	73	70½	72¾
Republic Steel Co..	36	36	36	36
Rep I & S	100½	101	97¾	100
Royal Dutch.....	101¾	102½	100½	101¾
Saxon Motor.....	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Seaboard Air Line	9	9	8¾	9
Seaboard A L pf...	14¾	14¾	14½	14½
Sinc I & T Co..	83	83½	83	83½
Sinclair Con Oil...	43¾	44¾	43¾	43¾
Slos-Sheffield.....	71	71	71	71
So Pacific.....	96	96½	95½	96½
So Railway.....	22¾	23½	21¾	23¼
So Railway pf.....	14½	14½	14½	14½
St Joseph Lead....	15	15	15	15
St Louis S F	20	20¾	19½	20¾
St Louis S & F pf..	28	28	27	28
St Louis S W	57	57	57	57
St Louis S W R.R..	14	14	14	14
St Louis SW pf....	29¾	29½	28½	28½
Stromberg.....	63¾	63¾	59¾	59½
Studebaker.....	48	47¾	46	47¾
Submarine Co.....	10	10	10	10
Tex & Pacific....	32½	33½	31	33½
Texas Company ...	182	183	182	182½
Tobacco Products..	67½	68½	67½	67¾
Trans Con Oil.....	23½	23½	23	23¼
Union Oil	31½	31½	30½	31¼
Un Pacific	119½	120½	118½	120¼
Un Ry Inv pf.....	23½	23½	23½	23½
U S C I P	18	18	18	18
U S I Alcohol....	82½	83½	81½	83½
U S Foods Produc.	59½	60¾	59½	60¾
U S Retail Store.	70	71½	68¾	71½
U S Rubber.....	97¾	99¾	97½	99¾
U S Smelting.....	64½	64½	64½	64½
U S Steel.....	98½	98¾	98¼	98¼
U S Steel pf.....	110¾	110¾	110½	110¾
Utah Copper.....	71	72¾	71	72¾
Va Car-Chem.....	63¾	63½	63¾	63¾
Wabash	8½	8½	8	8¼
Wabash pf A.....	24½	25	24	25
Westinghouse.....	50¼	50¾	50	50¾
West aymaker.....	10½	11	10½	10¾
West Pac Ry.....	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
West Pac Ry pf....	60	60	60	60
Western Union.....	84½	84½	84½	84½
Wheeling & L E....	12¾	12¾	11¾	12¾
Willys-Overland....	24¾	24¾	24¼	24¾
Worth P & M.....	76½	76½	76¼	76½

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Lib 3½s.....	86.50	86.60	86.50	86.50
1st 4s 1927-47.....	90.40	90.40	90.40	90.40
2d 4s 1927-42.....	90.30	90.30	90.10	90.10
1st 4¼s 1932-47....	91.10	91.10	91.10	91.10
2d 4¼s 1927-42....	90.60	90.60	90.60	90.60
3d 4¼s 1928.....	93.16	93.16	93.12	93.16
4th 4¼s 19 9.....	90.96	90.96	90.88	90.90
Victory 3¾s.....	97.76	97.76	97.74	97.76
Victory 4¾s.....	97.78	97.80	97.78	97.78

*Ex-dividend.

New York Curb

Opening bid and ask prices on the New York Curb today were.

	Bid.	Ask.
Aetna	2	2¼
Allied Pack	20	25
Brit-Am Chem	8½	9½
Carib	1¼	1½
Commonwealth Pet	20	23
Cons Copper	6½	6¾
Condes Co	8	8½
Gen Asphalt	80¼	80¾
Gen Motor w I	24	24½
Gilliland	6	6¼
Glenrock	8	8½
Hartley-Gill	26	27
Heela	4¼	4½
Heyden Chem	20	22
Howe Sound	3½	4
Inter Pet	49	50
Invincible Oil	29	30
Mohikler	65c	65c
Merritt	18	18¾
Mex Oil	2	2¼
Motor Pet	4½	4¾
Panhandle	10½	10¾
Phillips Pet	34	36
Prod & Refin	6½	6¾
Retail Candy	12¾	14
Rexon oil	4	4¼
Salt Creek	50½	52
Sapulpa	2¾	3
Simms Pet	36	36½
Sub Boat	12¾	14
Sweets	5½	6½
Tex Ch w I	45	47
Tob Prod	17	19
Tabed Picture	11¾	12
U S Steamship	2¾	3
Vivadou	17	19
White Eagle	19	21
White Oil	30¾	31¾

Town and City Loans

Northampton, Mass., has sold a temporary loan of $200,000, issued in anticipation of taxes, dated Feb. 18 and maturing Nov. 18, 1920 to old Colony Trust at 6.5% plus $1.25, interest to Boston.

Newport, R. I., will receive proposals until 3 p. m., Feb. 19, 1920, for purchase at discount of a temporary loan of $50,000, issued in anticipation of revenue dated Feb. 24 and due Sept. 3, 1920.

Worcester, Mass., will receive bids until noon, Feb. 19, 1920, for purchase at discount of a temporary loan of $500,000, issued in anticipation of revenue, dated Feb. 20 and maturing July 26, 1920.

Manchester, N. H., will receive bids until 2 p. m., Feb. 20, for the purchase, at discount, of a temporary loan of $400,000, issued in anticipation of taxes, dated Feb. 20 and maturing Dec. 20, 1920.

Town of Weston was awarded to Grafton & Company a $150,000 loan in anticipation of revenue maturing Dec. 15, 1920, at 5.85%.

Nashua, N. H., awarded to First National Bank of Nashua a $75,000 temporary loan in anticipation of 1920 taxes due Dec. 1, 1920, at 5.40.

Concord, Mass., awarded to F. S. Moseley & Co., a $250,000 loan in anticipation of revenue maturing Nov. 2, 1920, at 5.84 plus $1.

Wall Street Briefs

The Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co. reports for 1919 net income after charges and taxes of $2,874,862, against $2,905,588 in 1918.

For last year the Union Oil Co. of California reports net after charges and federal taxes of $10,638,233, equivalent to $22.93 a share, against $6,023,136, or $13.82 a share in 1918.

In its report for 1919 the Baldwin Locomotive Works shows gross profits of $6,565,072, and net profits after taxes, depreciation, amortization, preferred dividends and all other deductions of $4,376,264, equal to $23.88 on common stock, as against the 1918 year Baldwin earned $9.26 a share on the common, $42.52 a share in 1917 and $6.10 a share in 1916.

Cotton Market Opening

New York, Feb. 18.—At the opening cotton prices dropped 5 to 80 points on poor cables and Wall Street and other selling. But the list rallied after selling about 45 points under yesterday's close on New Orleans and Liverpool support. The advance was about 18 points from the lowest. At the end of fifteen minutes the market was unsettled and about 35 points net lower. Opening prices were: March, 36.70; May, 34.50; July, 32.25; August, 31.35; October, 29.85; December, 29.15.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Corn opened 1c to 1c lower. Oats opened 1c to 1c lower. Provisions were 10c to 22c lower. Opening prices were: Corn—May, 1.35½ to 1.33; July, 1.29¾ to 1.30. Oats—May, 80½ to 80¾; July, 73¾ to 73¾. Lard—May, 21.23 to 21.10; July, 21.70.

New York Sub-Treasury Gain

New York, Feb. 18.—The sub-treasury gained $66,000 from the banks on Tuesday, reducing the cash but less since Friday to

State Loans for $10,000,000

State Treasurer Burrell has sold to Salomon Brothers & Hutsler two Commonwealth of Massachusetts loans of $10,000,000 at a 5.55 per cent. rate. One loan of $7,000,000 is dated Feb. 18, 1920, and matures Feb. 19, 1921, and the other $3,000,000 loan is dated Feb. 18, 1920, and matures Nov. 15, 1920.

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C. W. SOUTHER
Treasurer

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This is the sixth of a series of articles of unusual appeal to every conservative man and woman and of great importance to every legion post. They should interest the bracketeers, dopesters, revolting and friends of soldiers, sailors and marines. The next article will appear tomorrow.

By CHARLES O. POWER.

When a man holding the exalted place of United States senator makes a public statement and a solemn promise he is believed and relied upon to make good by the average citizen. Strange as it may seem, there are some doubts in the minds of high officials of the American Legion and state commanders, either of which Senator Smoot or any other citizen or legislator of exact knowledge of procedure affecting the best interests of former service men. This doubt prevails even though he has given this statement:

"All I have in my heart is to do that which will be for the best interests of the men who have served our country and the loved ones, who have died for our flag and cause. I will judge by the settlement by what I deem the general sentiment of the members of the Legion, then shall I undertake to form it into legislation or all that it will be possible for any one command."

Members of the national legislative committee of the Legion and State commanders I have talked with agree with me that Senator Smoot is a very able and influential member of the Senate. So does Director Jones of the War Risk Bureau. Besides being able and powerful in the Senate, as at present organized, some of them give him credit for being a very smooth proposition

LONG FAITH IN SMOOT.

They declare they cannot reconcile his promises with his performances, nor his explanations with actual happenings. For instance, they say that he made the following statement on the evening of December 17, last, referring to the delay on the soldier bill by the Senate of which he is one and comp a ned

"There has been no possible chance of bringing it before the Senate and have it ready and it will be reported there at the first opportunity. But when this bill passed the House and came to the Senate we had the peace treaty and nothing could have such precedence of that. We did not think that it was going to take so long to pass the railroad bill.

"We kept hoping and trusting that it would get out of the way, and I knew that, if I reported the bill and put it upon the calendar, it would not have nearly so good a chance to be acted upon at once as if reported when I could have unanimous consent for immediate consideration of it, and I shall trust, if I ask that, that there will not be a Senator who will refuse to grant it."

NOT A SENATOR OBJECTED.

The members of the Legion are at a loss to comprehend the objection these state commanders quote the senator since no such objection was made on the floor of the Senate on the September 15 date on which the Sweet bill was referred to the calendar and December 9, the date on which it was acted upon. There was not such an objection at all and every point could be

If other members of the committees of the Senate found it possible to get this volume of material approved by the Senate, for the passing of such legislation of varying grades of importance, very little of it having anywhere near the importance of the legislation affecting our disabled soldiers, it seems rather unique that legislation as important as the Sweet bill should be delayed for a period of three months.

Incidentally, if it took the bureau of the government that long to clear up the handling of their important affairs, it is interesting to sum up what the attitude of Congress would be towards them, and yet when there is a delay of this kind it is one of the criticisms are not of that legislative body, but of the administrative heads of the various government bureaus.

The statements the senator made the statement quoted above he did not unanimous consent and not a senator objected. There is a belief among Legion leaders that he did not mean to call up the Sweet bill until he knew it was out of the way.

SMOOT BILL WEAKENED.

That profess to know that he so informed Senator Williams, one of the senior aides on the sub-committee which has the Legion's problems in hand, and also Director Jones of the War Risk Bureau. They seem to think that it was the conference with state commanders that made him see a new light because the next time that he had called up the Sweet bill and it had become law. Although in two years, the Sweet bill went through in a reduced and weakened form and nothing was done to report to the Senate action on a number of resolutions from the Legion which were called to the attention of the Senate and House committees dealing with war risk legislation.

One of the points which the American Legion have been very insistent upon is that the lump sum and other features added to the converted policy law shall be also allowed the War Risk term insurance carried during peace times, but that these features shall not be retroactive as applied to term insurance, and it is interesting to note that Director Cholmeley Jones repeatedly has urged that this feature be included in the original Sweet bill

NO NOTIFY SMOOT.

The strong recommendation of the American Legion is that the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, the Federal Board for Vocational Education, the Public Health Service and the Bureau of Pensions shall be under one cab net office, or general manager, or director, so that the duplication of their activities and records may be co-ordinated

Director Jones of the War Risk Bureau supports this recommendation So does the Treasury Department in a statement opposing the breaking up of the bureau, as proposed, Assistant Secretary Leffingwell has declared that the idea that the various departments of the being separated and placed under another department could be conducted either so economically or so efficiently as when all were together in one building and under one head

And now it would seem to be up to senator smoot to explain where he goes this stuff which he must rely upon to justify the running counter to the wishes of the Legion. There no longer Legion west, for which he was acting so much respect, by the state and national organizations but rather than by the declarations of the chosen leaders of the organization of the Legion. Will he explain? He still will have no Legion backing

(Continued Tomorrow).

WANT DEFENCE COUNCIL TO CONTINUE ITS WORK

Washington, Feb. 18.—The proposal of the United States Council of National Defense now before Congress for the future performance of its work, has been endorsed by various business organizations it was stated today. Among them are the United States Chamber of Commerce, National Association of Manufacturers, the United Business Papers and the United Publishers' Corporation Frank A. Vanderlip, Isaac Wilfard, Otto H. Kahn and Lindsey M. Gurr-son have also urged that the council be continued.

GEDDES OR FISHER MAY SUCCEED GREY

London, Feb. 18.—Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of reconstruction and Sir Hon. H. L. Fisher, president of the Board of Education, were again named today among the possible successors to Viscount Grey as British ambassador to the United States. Both had been spoken of before Earl Reading, lord chief justice, declined the post

Clothing Up for Two Years

According to Secretary Vance of the National Association of Clothiers there can be no reduction in the price of clothing for two years.

PORT OF BOSTON

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 17

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88 Clan Cumming (Br), Calderwood Capt Town via Norfolk

88 Cabello (Br), from Buenos Ayres.

88, Delaware, Greenlaw, New York.

88, Lake Worth, Hall, Portland

88, Belfast, Rawley, Portland

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88, Lake Washburn, Deal, Philadelphia, not before

88, Cedar Spring, Gallano Norfolk.

Tug Mary F Scully, Scully, New York, towing barges Passaic, Albany and Riverside.

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Tug Birmingham, Hilliard, New York, towing barges J. & W. B. C. Nos. 8 and 14.

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STEAMERS DUE.

WEDNESDAY—Lake Forbville, from Powey; Pampa, from Buenos Ayres; Zillamore, from Liverpool; Susquehanna, from Cape Town; Morvern Mayn, from Calcutta; Lake Como, from Ponce, Cuba; Turrar Prince, from Manchester.

THURSDAY—Clan MacQuarrie, from Boston Ayre via Havana.

Thanks American for Waking Up America

Miss Dorothy C. O'Keefe of Lynn, the school girl who wrote the $500 prize paper on Abraham Lincoln in the American's recent contest has sent the following letter to The American:

"I have no written this letter to say that I intended to have written the prize paper in your Lincoln essay contest. In the first place, that does without saying in the award place, and is not the word. But I intend like to thank the American and, indeed, every other good paper in the country to wake up America' and I am sure you deserves an credit and I am the best I can offer.

"Sincere yours

"DOROTHY CUSHING O'KEEFE."

EXPLAIN ACTION IN DEAN CASE

Selectmen Deny Bartlett's Charge of Besmirching State's Reputation

East Jaffrey, N. H., Feb. 18.—To refute the charge made by Governor Bartlett that newspaper publicity relative to the murder of Mrs. Ida Kendrick Dean by Fenton Wallace was besmirching the State of New Hampshire, the selectmen of this town sent letters to the publishers of the Concord Monitor and Manchester Mirror, requesting that they publish the same. The one sent to the Manchester Mirror says in part:

East Jaffrey, N. H.
Feb. 14 1920

"Editor of the Mirror: In view of the candor and fairness with which you have treated the Dean case in your columns we wish to ask you to please to publish in your paper of New Hampshire the following statement in regard to the unfortunate occurrence of last Thursday at the Peterboro-Monadnock railroad station.

CHARGE INACTIVITY.

"Since a short time after the murder of Dr. Dean, we have felt that the county officials and police have not been so active and efficient in the prosecuting of the case as the circumstances demand. We expected at this meeting to talk the matter over with him in a friendly way, show him our reasons for our belief and leave the matter in his hands. Therefore, we had not anticipated that meeting, consulted with counsel in this matter

"What followed has been well advertised. The Governor insisted that the conference was not a 'hearing' but he did refuse to allow Mr. Gutermuth counsel for us decline to listen to the relatives of Mrs. Dean and by implication character and to make proper reply as an attempt to have us try the case in the town of New Hampshire

"Under the circumstances there seemed nothing left to do but to withdraw, which we did. **Several facts stand out in bold relief in this connection which should not be lost sight of by the citizens of New Hampshire. A citizen of the State has been murdered. His assailants have not been discovered. Many citizens of this vicinity believe that everything has not been done to discover the murderers. The relatives of Dr. Dean feel likewise.** We cannot understand how it can be construed as besmirching the good reputation of the Granite State to demand and receive the demand that the guilty be punished and the peace of mind of a large body of citizens even though some expense to the State

(Signed)
"WILLIAM F. COOLIDGE,
"PETER E. HOGAN,
"EDWARD C. BOYNTON."

INCREASING FOREIGN TRADE IN COTTON

That foreign trade in cotton and cotton goods has not been curtailed by depreciated foreign exchange is shown in the preliminary figures and other reports for January. In that month this country exported 2,9 471 bales of domestic raw cotton invoiced at $194 965 7 2, and established a high record for shipments England was the biggest buyer

During that month England shipped 14,000 000 yards of cotton cloth to this country. In fact, American imports of British cotton fabrics in January this year were almost three times as large as for the corresponding month in 1914 Then they totalled 5,000 000 yards.

RECORD BUILDING BOOM IS PREDICTED

More than 600 stockholders and guests of the Monomoits Realty Commercial Company at the Boston City Club heard Architect H. Blackall, architect, declare that we are on the threshold of the greatest boom in the building industry that the world has ever known, He said

"Prices are going to remain high. Where formerly hundreds of thousands were invested at 10 per cent, now millions will be invested at 15 per cent."

WIFE SEEKS TRACE OF HENRY RYMILL

Will anybody who sees Henry K. Rymill communicate with his wife, Mrs. Rymill, at No. 337 East Eagle street, East Boston? Mymill has been seen lately driving a farm wagon in the vicinity of Wakefield and the East Side, Melrose. He may be easily distinguished as he has facial twitching, a form of St. Vitus dance.

When Rymill went away from home last May, he left behind his wife and four children, aged twelve, ten five and two. He is described by his wife as of dark complexion, five feet six inches in height, with brown eyes

ELIZABETH J. MURPHY'S FUNERAL TOMORROW

Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Mrs. Elizabeth J. Murphy of No. 19 Milton road, Brookline. Mrs. Murphy was seventy-two years old. Two sons and a married survivor, Walter E., of the Boston Post, John D., former newspaper man and now in the automobile industry; Mrs. Arthur P. Moran and Miss Maude Murphy. Funeral services will take place at St. Mary's Church of the Assumption, Brookline, at 9 a. m.

URGES PENNSYLVANIA BUY HOG ISLAND YARD

Washington, Feb. 18.—Purchase of the Hog Island shipyard property by the State of Pennsylvania was urged today by Representative Edmunds of Philadelphia in a letter to Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania. He advised that the State operate the property for the benefit of the city and State, and said that this property should not be allowed to fall into the hands of private corporations.

N. E. Railroads Advance

Boston Stocks

Lists on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 11.30 a. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Adventure	76	76	69½	70
Am Sug Ref pf	84½	85½	84½	85½
Am Tel & Tel	91	91½	91½	91½
Am Woolen Co	87½	87¾	87½	87¾
Arcadian Mining	102	103	103	103
Arcadian Mining	31½	31½	31½	31½
Arcadian Mining	11	11½	11	11½
Atlantic Gulf & W I S S Co	62	62	62	62
Atlantic Gulf & W I S S Co pf	41	41	41	41
Boston & Albany	121	121	121	121
Boston & Maine	64	65	63	63
Boston & Maine pf	41	42	41	41
Boston & Maine pf	2d	2d	3d	3d
Boston Edison Co	84	84	84	84
Boston Elevated	160	60	60	60
Boston Land	2¼	2¾	2¼	2¾
Boston Suburban Elec Co	13	13	13	13
Boston Suburban Elec Co pf	17	17	17	17
Boston Wharf	44	44	43	43
Calumet & Hecla	44	48	43	43
Calumet & Hecla	11	11	11	11
Calumet & Hecla	40	40	40	40
Cambria Steel	42½	43	42½	43
Cambria Steel	2d	2d	2d	2d
Cambria Steel	146	150	146	150
Cambria Steel	2d	2d	2d	2d
Cambria Steel	119	120½	119	120½
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This Day in History—February 18, 1920

THIS is the anniversary of the death, in 1546, of Martin Luther, at Wittenberg. The great movement started by Luther swept over Europe and, finding expression in a determination to break from the Catholic Church, plunged the nations into a bloody warfare of Catholics versus Protestants.

A Nine Days' Wonder

SOMETHING that causes a sensation and then passes away, forgotten things, has been styled a "nine days' wonder." The expression is supposed to originate from the fact that cats and dogs are born blind and continue so for nine days, until the eyes are opened.

April Folly

By Cynthia Stockley

A Brilliant New Film Romance With Marion Davies

Watch for This Story in Motion Pictures

"April Folly," soon to be seen in leading motion picture theatres, is a Cosmopolitan production, released through Famous Players-Lasky Corporation as a Paramount-Artcraft picture, under direction of Robert Z. Leonard. Scenario by Adrian Johnson.

"I THOUGHT that was the sea—I mean," ragged Patricia Kenna as upstairs Dan the keeping of a thousand breakers upon a brazen beach. "The sky was full of wind—with a gleam of moon flying across it and a scattering of lost stars

More Alive

She felt more alive and vital than ever in her life before. The clamor of the storm seemed to be in her veins as well as in her ears. She was glad with a wild, exultant happiness of which she had never dreamed when she found herself snatched by strong arms and held close, close. The mainstream whirled about her, but she was clasped safe in a sheltered place. Sarle kissed her with long, silent kisses.

There was no need for words, their lips told the tale to each other. It seemed to her that her nature expanded into the vastness of the sea and the wind and the stars, and [illegible] the [illegible] girl, held [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

BRINGING UP FATHER

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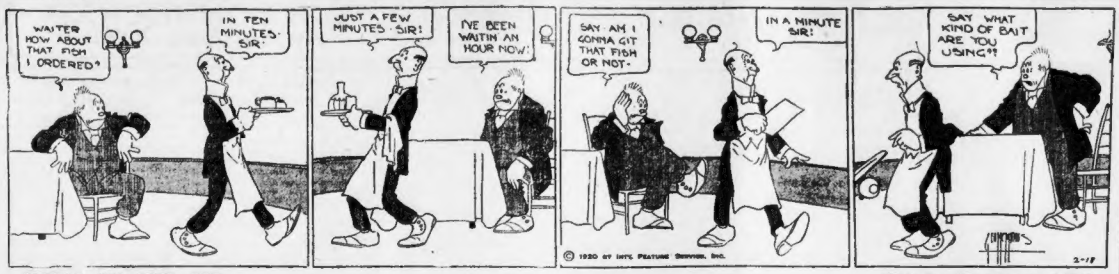
By George McManus


WAITER HOW ABOUT THAT FISH I ORDERED?
IN TEN MINUTES SIR.
JUST A FEW MINUTES SIR!
I'VE BEEN WAITIN AN HOUR NOW!
SAY AM I GONNA GIT THAT FISH OR NOT.
IN A MINUTE SIR!
SAY WHAT KIND OF BAIT ARE YOU USING??

JERRY ON THE JOB

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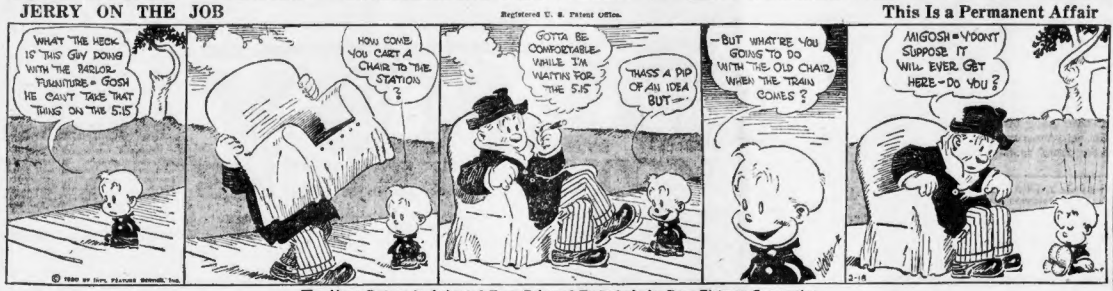
This Is a Permanent Affair


WHAT THE HECK IS THIS GUY DOING WITH THE PARLOR FURNITURE - GOSH HE CAN'T TAKE THAT THING ON THE 5:15
HOW COME YOU CART A CHAIR TO THE STATION?
GOTTA BE COMFORTABLE WHILE I'M WAITIN FOR THE 5:15
THASS A DID OF AN IDEA BUT—
-BUT WHAT'RE YOU GOING TO DO WITH THE OLD CHAIR WHEN THE TRAIN COMES?
MIGOSH - YDONT SUPPOSE IT WILL EVER GET HERE - DO YOU?

The Above Cartoon in Animated Form Released Exclusively by Bray Pictures Corporation.

ABIE THE AGENT

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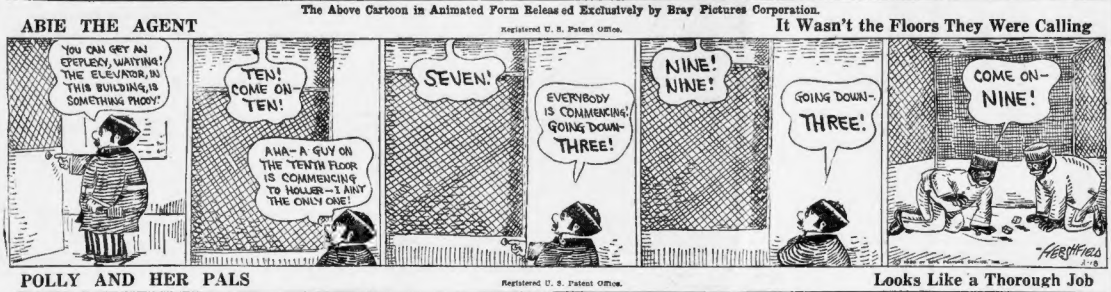
It Wasn't the Floors They Were Calling


YOU CAN GET AN EFFELEVY, WAITING! THE ELEVATOR, IN THIS BUILDING, IS SOMETHING PHOOY!
TEN! COME ON - TEN!
AHA - A GUY ON THE TENTH FLOOR IS COMMENCING TO HOLLER - I AINT THE ONLY ONE!
SEVEN!
EVERYBODY IS COMMENCING GOING DOWN - THREE!
NINE! NINE!
GOING DOWN - THREE!
COME ON - NINE!

POLLY AND HER PALS

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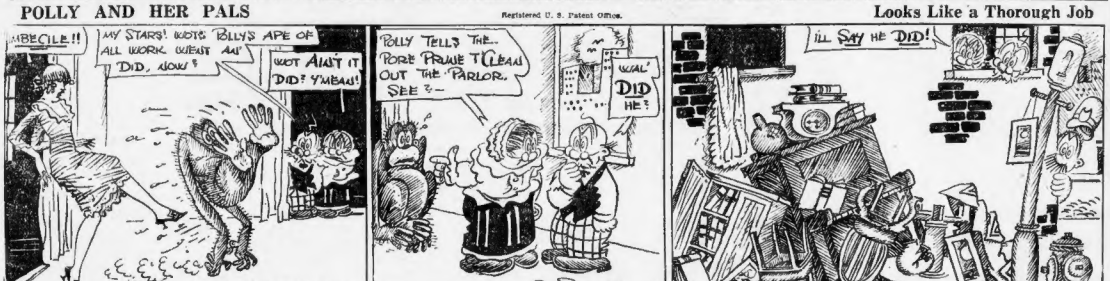
Looks Like a Thorough Job


BECILE!!
MY STARS! WOTS BILLY'S APE OF ALL WORK WEAST AT DID, NOW?
WOT AINT IT DID? Y'MEAN!
POLLY TELLS THE PORE PRUNE T'CLEAN OUT THE PARLOR. SEE?-
WAAL DID HE?
I'LL SAY HE DID!

BOOBY HATCH

It's an Impossibility to Obfuscate This Mammoth Mentality

LISTEN HATCH, TAKE THIS "ROWER DOWN TO "LINCLES" AND HOCK IT - GET $2.00 FOR IT - DONT TAKE ANYTHING ELSE!
ALL RIGHT LOOIE!
"TWO DOLLARS OR NOTHING, IS THE MOTTO!
I'LL GIVE YOU $3.00 FOR IT!
NO SIREE! I WANST $2.00 OR NOTHING!
GOOD WORK HATCH! GOT THE TWO BUCKS, HUH?
YEAH - I GOT IT BUT I HAD TO DEMAND IT!
HE WANTED TO GIVE ME $3.00 FOR IT, BUT I SAID NOTHING DOING, $2.00 OR NOTHING AND I GOT IT!

HON AND DEARIE

Pop Is a "Chaser" for Hon

HON IS "HOODOED" BY DEARIE'S DAD -
I'M GOING TO LET HON BE THE FIRST TO TRY MY HOME MADE DEW DROP -
"DO DROP" IS A "HARD" NAME.
LIL' BROWN JUG.
I-I-AW-DON'T MIND IF I DO!
HON'S AFRAID TO REFUSE POP, AND HE WANTS TO RELEASE DEARIE. THAT'S AN AWFUL STEW TO BE IN, HE'S GOOGLY NOW.
IF YOU DRINK THAT HON, I'LL NEVER SPEAK TO YOU AGAIN.
DON'T YOU LOVE THAT?
IF HE DRINKS IT, HE'LL NEVER HEAR YOU SPEAK AGAIN, HIM THINKING.
THAT'S A STRONG STATEMENT.
WATCH HIM MAKE A "WRY" FACE, STUPE.
"COMEDIAN"
THAT JOKE HAS A KICK IN IT - AND YOU'LL GET IT IN A MINUTE.
I HAVE A COLD BUT I THINK I'LL KEEP IT.
I WOOD IT'S GOT WOOD IN IT.
HATTIE TRYING A GLASS
CALAMITY JANE
POP DOPED THAT DRINK OUT HIMSELF - IN OTHER WORDS IT'S DRAWN FROM THE WOOD. IT'S A LONG TIME BEFORE POP'S DRINKS DO LONG.
PROHIBITION IS TOUGH ON THIS BIRD HE'S A LOST CHILD WITHOUT HIS BOTTLE.
HE'S 100 PER CENT DUMB
WHAT IS IT SOFT STUFF?
OL' HARD HEAD WANTS TO KNOW - YOU TELL HIM - I'VE GOT A CAVITY IN MY TOOTH! RUBBER BRAND DIP
LIPS THAT TOUCH LICKER SHALL NEVER TOUCH "MINE" MY SUPPLY IS SHORT.
BRO. LUKE - HE DOUBLE HIS BIT - HE NEVER MISSED A MEAL IN THE JOINT.
IF IT'S GOT WOOD ALCOHOL IN IT I WONDER IF IT WILL AFFECT HON, SIS?
NOT IF IT GOES TO HIS HEAD.
WHO TAUGHT HER THAT?

CROWE IN PLEA FOR YOUTHS

Famous Kidnaper Urges Proper Vocational Training for Young Criminals

New York, Feb. 18.—Pat Crowe, who gained notoriety as the kidnaper of the Cudahy baby two decades ago in Chicago and who, since the expiration of his prison term, has devoted himself to welfare work, lectured before the first All-American concert at the Sixty-third street Music Hall on the national danger confronting the United States in the neglect of the education of its youth and the rehabilitation of juvenile criminals.

Mr. Crowe told a fashionable audience that boys of fourteen, fifteen, sixteen and seventeen years of age, unable to receive the proper vocational training because of economic conditions, often turned to careers of crime and ended their days in jail and disgrace. He advocated the lowering of the ages under the proposed universal training legislation so as to embrace such cases.

He read a letter he sent to Senator Wadsworth of New York, chairman of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, making recommendations in respect to the vocational features of the universal service program.

In this letter Mr. Crowe urges that vocational training be extended to include the class of fourteen years of age.

FAVOR $100 MONTHLY FOR DISABLED VETERANS

Washington, Feb. 18.—The House Committee on Education reported unanimously in favor of a bill which will raise the monthly allowance of disabled service men undergoing government vocational training from $80 to $100. The bill was introduced by Representative Barrow of Pennsylvania.

Colds Break

Get instant relief with "Pape's Cold Compound"

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a cold and ends all grippe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of your head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness, stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist on Pape's!

BOSTON AMERICAN LIMERICK CONTEST $250 EVERY DAY

For the Best Last Lines

Mrs. Palmer Ingersoll

192 Pine Street, Springfield, Mass. will be paid $150 for the "best last line" of LIMERICK No. 11

The completed Limerick reads as follows:

A tourist from torrid Key West
Thought he'd give Boston's weather a test.
He landed here smiling,
But now he's reviling;
Spring will come, he'll forget, like the rest.

Mrs. Bessie M. Ingersoll, writer of the best last line to Limerick No. 11, is the wife of Palmer M. Ingersoll of No. 192 Pine street, Springfield. Mrs. Ingersoll said today, "I have always tried to solve all kinds of puzzles and reach the right solution since I was a child, but the American's Limerick contest is the first one that I ever entered into seriously. The $150 will go into our home fund." Mrs. Ingersoll is twenty-seven years old and lives with her husband and mother. Her husband is foreman of the Westinghouse Electric Co. at Springfield.

4 next "best last lines" of No. 11 Limerick were written by

NORMAN H. McLEOD, 12 Church St., Burlington, Vt.
ROBERT T. CHADBOURNE, 29 Middle St., Hallowell, Me.
MRS. RUTH K. LINKHART, 93 Highland St., Clinton, Mass.
JOHN J. REILLY, K. of C. Hut, Boston Common, Boston, Mass.

Each of whom will be paid $25.00 by the Boston American.

RULES:

1. Friday, January 30th, the Boston American commenced publication of a daily incomplete Limerick, and $100 will be paid for the "best last line" sent in by its readers completing Limericks Nos. 1 and 2. Beginning with Limerick No. 3, a total award of $150 will be given; first award, $150, and for the next four "best last lines" $25.00 each will be given. In the event of more than one person sending in the same "best last line," similar awards will be made.

2. No one is barred from participating except employes of the Boston American and their families, who are absolutely barred. Any one may send in more than one "best last line" to a Limerick.

3. The blank printed herewith is for the convenience of the readers and the Editors, but you do not have to use this particular blank.

4. Each Limerick appearing in the Boston American will have a number, and the "best last line" must be sent in a sealed envelope, by mail, addressed to "Boston American Limerick Department," P. O. Box 235, Boston 8, Mass. On the outside of each envelope containing the "best last line" must be written or printed "Limerick No. ——." This is most important.

5. All "best last lines" must be received by the Limerick Department by 12 o'clock noon, four days after publication. Announcement of each award will be made in the Boston American, one week after publication of each Limerick.

6. The Boston American reserves the right to make any change in or addition to these rules that may be deemed necessary for fairly and properly conducting the proposition, and the decision of the Boston American Limerick Editor on any question which may arise will be absolutely final, and the entering of a participant is a complete acceptance of all conditions and regulations now made or to be made.

Boston American Limerick Editor,
P. O. Box 235,
Boston 8, Mass.

Limerick No. 17

He set up a nice little still,
To make his own whiskey at will,
But Uncle Sam caught him,
And now they have got him,

.....

You may write your "best last line" of Limerick above this

Name .....

Street and Number.....

City or Town .....

State .....

All "best last lines" to Limerick No. 17 must be received by 12 noon, Sunday, Feb. 22. Award will be announced Wednesday, Feb. 25th.

MOTOR NEWS and NOTES

C. F. DONNOCKER
Automobile Editor

SELL NORTHWAY TRUCKS HERE

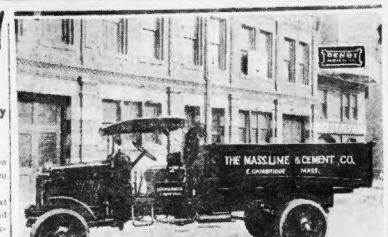
Excellent Machines on Display at Boylston Street Show Rooms

The Northway Motors Corporation recently opened its Boston show room and service station.

The new show room is situated at the corner of Brookline avenue and Boylston street, being 194-200 Brookline avenue and 1293-1299 Boylston street. The company had samples of its products on exhibition, including several 3½-ton trucks with various bodies and a number of two-ton trucks.

The Northway Motors Corporation has its factory at Natick. It has some 150,000 square feet of floor space and has been producing trucks since September 1.

The executive offices are at No. 1 Beacon street, Boston. James F. Cavanagh is president of the company and James F. Finneran, who is head of Woodward Drug Company, is treasurer. On the board of directors are Charles A. Cook, leather manufacturer of Danvers, Carl G. Davis of the American Saw & Manufacturing Company of Springfield and Arthur W. Palmer, building merchant Natick.



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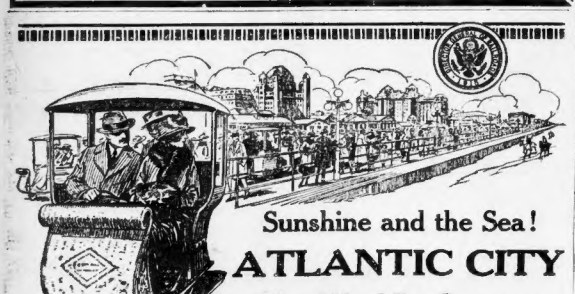

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NEW FIRM SELLS GRANT IN N. E.

Veteran Auto Dealers Form Martin-Brackett Co. to Distribute Popular Make

There is a new firm in charge of the distribution of Grant motor cars in New England. It is composed of Stanley A Martin and M. E. Brackett, both of whom have been prominently identified with the successful merchandising of motor cars and motor vehicles since the early days of the industry. Mr. Brackett, the president of the new company, which is known as the Martin-Brackett Company, Inc., is best known on account of his splendid managerial administration of the affairs of the General Motors and Buick Company in New England.

Stanley A. Martin, the treasurer of the company, began his career in New York City in 1902 with Banker Bros., who at that time represented the Pierce Arrow and Peerless cars. Mr. Martin has been identified with a number of different companies in New York and for the past four years he has confined his effort exclusively to Grant line of motor cars. He was a factory representative for the company with headquarters in New York.

About a year ago he assumed charge of the Grant interests in New England and now he has formed a partnership with Mr. Brackett for making the Grant better known and more widely appreciated throughout New England.

For the present the temporary headquarters of the Martin-Brackett Company will remain at No. 702 Beacon street.

Hearing Tomorrow on "Load Height" Bill

An important hearing on House Bill No. 114 to limit the height of loads to 11 feet from the ground, the width to 96 inches and the length overall to 28 feet will be held at Room 427 State House tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. This is an important matter to truck owners and the Motor Truck Club of Massachusetts urges all members and truck owners to be present.

The height limit is a new limitation and this bill also extends these limits to all vehicles and loads. The club believes the height limit should be increased to 12 feet and also believes the law should be amended to allow the Highway Department to grant annual permits to those needing them instead of requiring a permit to be obtained from every town every time you have to move

As Mr. Fixit

Dear Mr. Fixit: I am employed by a large department store and have twenty-six Fords I overhauled one motor. It started perfectly on the magneto and when I shut it down to load it has failed to run on the magneto since. There is a good spark from the plug to magneto post in the switch. I have tried four new coil boxes and one from another car. Kindly advise trouble.

L. D. K., East Boston.

First take out all your spark plugs and lay them on the top of the motor connected with their proper wires and spin the motor and see if you get sparks to each one. This is a better method than shorting each one with a screw-driver. If you get a good spark, try the compression, as your valves might be stuck open. This would come from becoming overheated and the valve stems sticking in the guides. Drain sediment bulb in your carburetor and make sure that your gasoline is getting to your motor. If you have compression, a good spark and gasoline flowing freely to the carburetor you should have no trouble in making an adjustment which will run the motor. If you do not get a spark look over all your connections. The fact that the motor ran and did not start afterwards seems to indicate that the valves must either be open or you have a short in your electrical current or you have a stoppage in your gasoline line.

Dear Mr. Fixit: Will you please answer the following question? Will a Ford motor run more quietly by putting on one of the latest heads to take the place of the old style? How much of a gap should be left on the ends of the rings when fitted to the cylinders and how much clearance should the pistons have when fitted? Would it make any difference to the lights if the Ford magneto was set closer together, say about eight to ten thousandths of an inch I did this to mine and it made the motor start more easily but the lights seemed to burn out more quickly. Of course, if this is it to take up the bearings over a Chevrolet?

C. W. A., Everett, Mass.

The new head would make no difference in the quietness of the motor but it would have a tendency to keep it cooler as there is more cooling surface in the water jacket. In reground Ford piston rings, the clearance should be .006 and the piston should have a clearance of .004. If you change the magneto your car might start more easily but your lights would burn out more quickly because you have too much current. The setting for the best efficiency is from twenty-five to forty one-thousandths of an inch. If you would tell us to which bearings you refer on the Chevrolet it would make the answer much simpler. It is quite a mechanical job to take up the bearings of any car.

F. N. HAMMOND IS PORTAGE SALESMAN

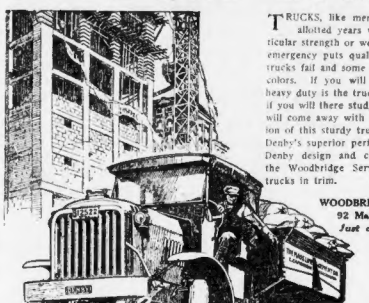
Announcement is made by the Portage Rubber Company, Barberton, Ohio, of the appointment of F. N. Hammond as special representative of the sales department. Mr. Hammond is well known among tire men and has an extensive knowledge of the needs of the retail industry.

Mr. Hammond made a decided success as Goodyear branch manager in Cleveland for a number of years. In Detroit, as Kelly-Springfield branch manager, he greatly increased the sales in the State of Michigan and a reflection of his past successes is seen in his appointment by the Portage Company.

AGAIN EXTEND TIME ON N. Y. AUTO LICENSES

Commissioner Cole of the Department of Public Works has received a second request that police officers and officials in Massachusetts be informed that New York State has made another extension of time for the use of 1919 auto registration plates, as well as operators' licenses, until March 1, 1920. New York has been unable to cover its registration applications for 1920 numbers.

DENBY MOTOR TRUCKS



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Mr. Skeffington stigmatized leading American manufacturers as "Bourbons" and Mr. Ham accused employers of "inefficiency and lack of co-operation."

Mr. Ham expressed himself as being unable to coincide with the opinion of the commissioner concerning the distribution of blame in the capital-labor controversies. He assailed the masses, not only of this country but of Europe as well, on the grounds of extravagance, citing the universal demand for silk stockings to the exclusion of cotton ones.

In a fierce attack upon the "disproportionate scale of pay," he demanded whether "America cares less for her soul and the mental development of her growing generations than she does for the digging of ditches." The teacher gets less than the man who shines your shoes or digs your sewers. The minister receives wages which would be repudiated with scorn by the humblest day laborer in the land."

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LOST—Feb. 13, about 2:15, at Newton Corner by Dudley st., a bundle containing an

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Measures That Would Cure Most of the Troubles and Tendencies Which Distress and Alarm Us Today

(1) To nominate for the Presidency by direct nomination and to elect by popular vote.
(2) To elect the Cabinet officers and make them responsible to Congress.
(3) To deprive the President of the power of patronage; to put public offices as nearly as possible under Civil Service, and have appointments made by a comittee of Congress.
(4) To elect Federal Judges, including Supreme Court Justices by popular vote.
(5) To apply the Initiative, the Referendum and the Recall to national matters.

Should Repeal Wartime Ban on Freedom of Speech

State Senator Samuel B. Finkel has offered a resolution in the General Court declaring for the repeal of those laws passed by the Congress during the war suppressing our ancient liberty of speech and freedom of the press now that the war is really over.

It ought not to be necessary for any body of citizens in the United States to pass such a resolution. It ought to have been the very first work of Congress after war actually ceased to repeal those dangerous restrictions upon the liberty of the citizen—a liberty which is a greater essential to democracy than any other protected right under the Constitution of the United States.

The majority in Congress cannot plead in extenuation of their failure to repeal the restrictive war laws that the war is not technically over, for they do not believe in any such puerile distinction between the real ending of the war at the armistice and a technical state of war, which President Wilson's obstinacy concerning the League of Nations and his equally obstinate and unfair interweaving of the League of Nations with the treaty of peace has unreasonably continued.

But if it is necessary, as it clearly is, to remind Congress that the time has come to repeal these encroachments upon the liberty of opinion, a body of Massachusetts representatives is the most fitting body to sound the first note of warning. We have had free speech in this Commonwealth ever since we existed, and we have been famous for the freedom with which we exercised our right to express our opinon on anything and everbody.

Freedom of speech and freedom of the press are very precious rights to the people of Massachusetts. It was here within a few weeks that leading citizens of the State started a protest against resent attempts to frighten the public into an hysterical acquiescence in repressive measures utterly inconsistent with democracy. The voice raised on that occasion in Massachusetts was heard throughout the whole nation and started a reaction against this dangerous tendency which has stopped it almost dead in its tracks.

Now this absurd hunting of alleged "Reds" has ceased to be fashionable, and politicians, too cowardly to attack a real issue, have ceased to seek a reputation for courage by attacking bogies. Even certain detectives have ceased for a while to ply their trade, which is manufacturing evidence against alleged radicals for the purpose of revealing evidence which they have made themselves to someone who has more money than brains and will pay for the stuff.

We hope that the Legislature will pass Senator Finkel's resolution and will add its voice to that of judges and bankers and labor organizations and college presidents and liberals everywhere against the tendencies so dangerous to American democracy which have come out of the war alleged to have been waged to make the world safe for democracy.

Dismissal of Lansing Shows Up Great Political Evil

The peevish dismissal of Secretary Lansing brings out in sharp relief the greatest defect in our government, which is the responsibility of the Cabinet Ministers to the President instead of to the people's representatives in the Congress.

This identical feature was the one feature of the Imperial German Government upon which Mr. Wilson based his argument that the German government was in fact an autocracy, while in form a constitutional limited monarchy.

It happens, though Mr. Wilson seems not to have known it, that the makers of the constitution of the German Empire copied this feature from our own practice, though a strong minority favored the British practice of direct ministerial responsibility to the Parliament.

That the practice of having a ministry responsible to the executive and irresponsible to the popular representatives was bad for Germany, no one now doubts. It led to abuses of executive power and finally to the ruin of the empire.

And the same practice has led to gross abuses and usurpations of power by the present Executive, and may eventually lead to the loss of liberty and the ruin of our republic if it is persisted in.

This is one of many good reasons why we should hold a Constitutional Convention and radically revise the Constitution.

That Mr. Lansing appears to much the better advantage and that Mr. Wilson cuts a poor and peevish figure in this public laundry contest few deny.

But, after all, those are temporary incidents, and the matter of which we speak is vital and permanent.

Two years from now no one will stop to inquire whether Mr. Lansing is fishing or trying a lawsuit, and nobody will ask whether Mr. Wilson is nursing his lacerated pride or a sore toe.

But everybody will be for years to come either a free citizen of a real democracy or a partly-free citizen of a disguised autocracy, depending upon whether or not we permit a naturally domineering and arrogant person in the White House to surround himself with a Cabinet of courtiers and obedient lackeys, or whether we have the sense and courage to substitute ministerial responsibility to the Congress for the present system of Cabinet irresponsibility to the Congress and freedom from popular control.

Mr. Wilson is constantly emphasizing the weakness of the people when an arrogant and peevish President confronts the popular will, but this time he has served the country well by really awakening it to the danger of this feature of Cabinet irresponsibility to the Congress.

Busy

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More Truth Than Poetry

An Encouraging Reward

By S. E. KISER

WE have made a lot of heavy sacrifices,
We heard them when their backs were to the wall,
With money and with blood we've paid the prices,
But they tell us we are selfish, after all!
We dropped all else, risked everything to save them,
We left the easy way and took the rough;
All we had to give we generously gave them,
Yet they seem to think we haven't done enough.

WHEN hunger and defeat and fear had led them
To falter and confess the doubt they had,
We fought for them, we worked for them, we fed them,
They accepted all we offered and were glad;
They didn't ask for terms or halt at credit,
They mentioned no conditions or demands;
They took us at our word, as we had said it,
Not bartering, but holding out their hands.

WE are paying, and our payments will continue
Long after all the scars of war shall fade;
We have paid with bread and gold and tears and sinew—
With all things that are precious we have paid!
We are sweating under burdens that are hateful,
We are limping over stretches that are rough;
But they curse us now, instead of being grateful,
And they tell us that we haven't done enough.

SOME OF THEM FAIL ALTOGETHER

A man may be "a born aristocrat" and still have trouble in learning to be a gentleman.

WHO CARES, ANYHOW?

The self-made man usually thinks he is the only one who could have done it in just that way.

A LOST SOUL

There's no hope for the poet who continues to be pessimistic when a pretty woman tells him she thinks the things he writes are "just perfectly lovely!"

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By K. C. B.

DEAR K. C. B.—You seem to be able to solve a lot of problems about newly married couples and also settle disputes that come from the old-timers who can't get along, so I want to ask you if through your column you will let me read what you have to say about this pair of old-timers. He was jealous of her, and she didn't care for him, and I tried to make peace between them. Then they both jumped onto me, and in the end I landed in the station house with a discolored eye and everything else that goes with it. What's your advice to a fellow in my position?
EDWARD R.

DEAR EDWARD.
ONCE ON a time.
WE HAD a dog.
AND IN the neighbor's house.
THERE WAS a cat.
AND OUT in the alley.
ONE SUNDAY morning.
THEY CAME together.
AND OUR Airedale.
HAD THE neighbor's cat.
BACKED INTO a corner.
AND A nice big dog.
FROM A block away.
GOT WIND of the scrap.
HE EDGED his way in.
AND OUR Airedale dog.
AND THE neighbor's cat.
FORGOT THEIR quarrel.
AND LOOKED him over.
AND THE last I saw.
WAS THE nice big dog.
WITH THE neighbor's cat.
HALF WAY up his back.
AND OUR Airedale dog.
WITH A very firm grip.
ON THE back of his neck.
AND THE three of them.
WERE ON their way.
TO THE big dog's home.
AND THEY left him there.
AND BOTH came back.
AND AFTER that,
THEY WERE very good friends.
AND I'VE always thought.
THAT THE nice big dog.
COULD HE have known.
WOULD HAVE been very glad.
THAT HE'D brought peace.
TO A quarreling pair.
AND PERHAPS after all.
WHEN YOUR two friends.
GOT THROUGH with you.
AND LEFT you safely.
IN THE station house.
WITH YOUR eye messed up.
THEY MIGHT have felt.
AS OUR Airedale dog.
AND OUR neighbor's cat.
AND HAVE trotted away.
WITH PEACE in their souls.
AND IF that is true.
THEN YOU brought peace.
AS YOU tried to do.

HOW TO TELL VALUE OF ORIENTAL RUGS

By Dr. H. S. Jelalian

ORIENTAL rugs wear for centuries in Persia and Turkey, the home of their production, because the home life of the people is very simple there. They do not wear hard-heeled shoes in the house, and furthermore they do not own heavy tables and chairs, which frequently create creases on rugs by their back-and-forth friction.

In the East a good rug is considered just as we consider a valuable picture. It is a sacred possession to be handed down from generation to generation. On the other hand, an American dining room is the death-bed of an Oriental rug. So no Oriental rug can be made antique in this country. Before it is antique it is worn out. Now, when a dealer calls his rug "antique," he means an old rug well preserved.

Three Varieties

The three principal varieties of rugs on the market are Persian, Turkish and Indian. All the others may be considered as the sub-divisions of these.

Usually it is easy to find out whether a rug was woven by a Moslem or a Christian. The former inserts somewhere on the rug a verse or so from the Koran, while the latter marks a cross. The perfection of the weaver's art consists in his keen sense of color and design symmetry. Without this quality of mind he is a slovenly dabbler.

Wool Predominates

Wool is the predominating material used in the production of rugs, although camel's hair, silk and cotton are also extensively used. In modern Indian carpets cotton is predominating. No rug can wear forever.

In the selection of Oriental rugs for your home, do not insist upon mechanical perfection and geometrical precision of their sizes and designs. Defect in these regards would rather enhance the value of an Oriental rug, because it is a sign of genuineness. After all, the supreme quality of an Oriental rug consists in its being hand-woven. A machine-made rug will be so symmetrically perfect and geometrically correct that it will be an Oriental rug no more.

Letters to the Editor

No Foreign Flag

Editor Boston American:

On general principles it seems to me clear that if the ex-German ships are to be sold they should be sold for an adequate price, and I should be very sorry to see them transferred to a foreign flag.
HENRY L. SHATTUCK.

Nucleus of Fleet

Editor Boston American:

What a magnificent nucleus the ex-German ships form for Uncle Sam's merchant fleet of the future! If ever, now is the time for the United States to beware of Britain and her tricks and also to remember that eternal vigilance is the price of a merchant fleet.
ENSIR K. F. RONKA.
Boston University.

Gas Rate Increase

Editor Boston American:

Thank you very much for your editorial in the February 10th American. An audit of the gas company's books by a disinterested auditor will show whether the increase is necessary, and this cost will be as nothing compared to the amount the city of Boston will save monthly in its gas bill if this increase does not go into effect. And this is saying nothing of the great general public.

We have been to City Hall to enter our protest, and if all the newspapers of Boston that stand for "right" will back us up in this very important matter, by giving it publicity, something interesting will happen.
BOSTON LODGING HOUSE UNION, INC.
Sarah Goddard, President.

SILENCE IS BEST WAY TO TREAT THE BOY

By Mrs. Wilson Woodrow

THE family may be the mainstay of the nation, but it is certainly the cause of a large part of the trouble in this world.

And the reason for it lies, not in the institution itself, but in the abuse of it, in the unwarranted and often disgraceful behavior of the family's component members.

"Birds in their little nests agree," as Dr. Isaac Watts edifyingly pointed out. But do families profit by this happy example? Far from it. More often they use the home circle as a place to vent their grouches and to indulge in satiric criticism and fault-finding of a character which they would not dare employ elsewhere.

That blood is thicker than water must surely be true, when one thinks of all that the members of families put up with from one another and still continue to live together.

Usually, too, it is one particular member of the family who causes most of the inharmony, and through his selfishness and lack of consideration makes life miserable for all the rest.

"Anxious Sister's" Problem

A situation of the kind has been put up to me by a young girl and she asks me to try and tell her how to meet it.

"I have two brothers," she writes, "of the ages of seventeen and nineteen, whom I will call A and B. Five years ago they had a quarrel over a mere trifle, and ever since have not been speaking to each other. As you can imagine, this has caused a lot of trouble in our home.

"A is always saying that he will leave home if we attempt to interfere with him, and one morning after a quarrel he did leave, but he came back again that same evening. Even the mention of B's name is enough to throw him into a violent passion at any time.

"What would you advise us to do?—AN ANXIOUS SISTER."

The first thing I would do, "Anxious Sister," is to quit being anxious.

This hostility between brothers of that age is not an uncommon phase of boyhood, although a little longer drawn out in this instance than is usually the case.

Efficacious Treatment

All boys love to pose for effect. They are continually dramatizing themselves in one role or another, and so long as they can gain notice by doing it they will keep on. The treatment for this complaint is to pay no attention to him.

Indifference is the one thing which no holder of a pose can stand.

Once-Overs

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IT'S THE WIFE DOES THE SUNDAY COOKING.

Mr. Married Man, what about the Sunday rest for your wife?

Isn't it a fact that you want a bigger dinner, more elaborate service and feel pretty proud to invite some of the fellows from the office or shop out Sundays, largely to show off what an establishment you have at home?

Wife is glad to more than do her share, cooking and serving a delicious meal, using the best table linen and silver, and being obliged also to see that the children and herself are dressed in Sunday best to correspond.

That she not only spent several more hours in the kitchen on Sunday than she must on other days, that she has also several hours to spend washing and ironing the fine linen and shining and counting and putting away the extra silver, and then must clean the gravy off Tommy's suit, and never can get the peach stains off the "dolled up" little girlie—these things don't count, eh?

You can chat and smoke, and swell up with pride, and feast and sun and bask yourself in your lovely home with your outside friends who would not sit up one night with your baby with the croup, eh?

Suppose you dig in and help your wife Sundays, and see that she gets out somewhere on holidays, and then you both can rest together.

It won't spoil [illegible]